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ANGLO-SOVIET PACT IS NOT DEAD

Soviet Surprise For Foreign Ministers

PROPOSAL TO QUIT GERMANY BEFORE "BIG FOUR"?

Furore Over Churchill's Move For United Europe

LONDON, January 19. (A.P.A.): U. S. State Department officials said yesterday that they had heard "rumours" that Russia might suddenly propose immediate evacuation of Germany by all four occupying Powers.

The rumours, "entirely without official confirmation," were not completely discounted by American statesmen here, but at the same time there was no disposition to give them any credence.

SURPRISE PROPOSAL

Unconfirmed reports from Germany, the diplomats said, had suggested that Russia would bring an evacuation proposal as a surprise during the conference of the "Big Four" Foreign Ministers' Deputies, meeting here to pave the way for a German Peace Treaty.

MILESTONES ON ROAD TO WAR

LONDON, Jan. 19 (A.P.A.): Mr. Winston Churchill's campaign for a United States of Europe came under scathing left-wing criticism in Great Britain today as Soviet Russia manifested uneasiness over the forthcoming Anglo-French Alliance—regarded by many as a step toward a European Federation.

"Rebel" Labour MP. Tom Driberg said in an article in the "Reynolds News" that the United Europe Committee headed by Mr. Churchill included "some of the most monumental phoneys, bores and stooges of our age," adding it was difficult to believe that responsible men could associate themselves with the project.

The "Reynolds News" said editorially: "The greatest world problem is to seek a relationship between Russia and the rest of the world, and that purpose will be hindered and not served by any so-called United Europe led by Mr. Churchill, whose record and openly proclaimed desires can rouse nothing but suspicion in Russia."

In a speech at Hull, Mr. Koni Zilliacus, another "rebel" Labour M.P., condemned Mr. Churchill's United Europe plan and said such arrangements for the unification of Western Europe would not be "cornerstones of peace, but milestones on the road to war."

ANGLO-FRENCH ALLIANCE: MOSCOW COMMENT

MOSCOW, Jan. 19 (Reuter): "Pravda", the central organ of the Communist Party, declared today that the recent Anglo-French talks in London had "merely shown once again that London is not in the least bit inclined to desist from exerting pressure on France, utilising the dependence of French economy on Ruhr coal".

In the paper's "international review", Commentator Viktorov said that the results of the London talks, as set out in the Communique issued last Thursday, offered "little consolation" to France.

The Communique while stressing the importance of coal imports for France's industrial rehabilitation, "clearly points out that France will not be able to count on imports from the Ruhr", he said.

Speculating on motives behind the moves for an Anglo-French Alliance, Viktorov added: "It is worth noting that of late French public opinion followed with great anxiety the development of British policy as regards Germany, taking note of the plan for rehabilitation of Germany's military might, popular with certain London political circles. An impression is created that the question of Anglo-French Military Alliance has been brought up to calm French public opinion".

SOVIET AND NORWAY

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 19 (APA): The Swedish newspaper, "Droens Nyheter" quoting "well-informed sources" reported late last night from Oslo that "the Soviet Union, during the first negotiations between Norway and the Soviet Union, proposed that Norway and Russia should divide not only the defence of Spitsbergen but also the sovereignty of the Archipelago. Later, however, the Soviet Union withdrew the claim", the paper said.

During the United Nations Assembly session last year in New York, Molotov proposed that a Conference on this question should begin in Moscow, but did not mention the exact time of the Conference. Consequently Norway is now prepared for such an invitation, "Droens Nyheter" quoted the sources as saying.

THE SPITZBERGEN FURORE

MOSCOW, Jan. 19, (APA): The Soviet press and radio today prominently carried the text of the "communique" issued by the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs on negotiations between Russia and Norway on Spitzbergen.

"Pravda", in an editorial, decried the "furore" raised by certain Anglo-American press organs over Spitzbergen as an attempt to bring pressure on the Norwegian government and undermine the friendly relations which evolved between Russia and Norway in the course of the Second World War.

Attacking the "Times" as the leader of this campaign, 'Pravda's' commentary hotly rejected the parallel drawn by the London paper between Russia's action toward Spitzbergen and those of other great powers toward such areas as Iceland.

"The furore raised over the Spitzbergen question cannot be interpreted as other than an attempt to create a smokescreen to disguise an imperialist policy in circles whose mouthpiece is the newspaper, the "Times" the editorial added.

KOREA'S MARCH TO FREEDOM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19, (Reuter): Marked progress has been made towards Korean self-government despite the wave of civil disturbances, General Douglas MacArthur, Supreme Allied Commander, declared in a report on the Military Government in Korea for October published today.

Koreans in the United States zone held their first elections since Japan annexed the country in 1910 to "foster development of the country along democratic lines pending establishment of a unified Korean State as provided by the Moscow agreement", the report said. An interim Legislative Assembly was set up for South Korea with 90 members, half to be elected by the people and the remainder nominated by the Military Governor.

Three rightist parties won 31 of the 45 elective seats. Persons who collaborated with the Japanese were declared ineligible for the Assembly.

Mr. Bevin (centre) opened the Conference of Special Deputies of the Council of Foreign Ministers at Lancaster House St. James' Palace on Jan. 14 to consider the preparation of Peace Treaties with Germany and Austria and to report to the Council by Feb. 25.

75 LEADERS ARRESTED

Section 144 In Bharatpur: 12-Hour Curfew Enforced

(From A Correspondent)

BHARATPUR, Jan. 19.

About 75 workers belonging to the Bharatpur State Peoples' Conference were arrested by the Government of Bharatpur State and taken to an unknown destination at 12 a.m. yesterday. The list of arrested persons also include the Secretary of the State Muslim League.

The police made searches to arrest Mr. Yugal Kishore Chaturvedi, a prominent worker of the States People Conference, who had been to Delhi for contacting Congress leaders. It is understood Pandit Nehru has assured to make enquiries into the Bharatpur affairs.

Section 144 banning public meetings and processions for one month has been promulgated in the capital. A 12-hour Curfew has also been enforced in the city. Armed military and police personnel are patrolling the city which is observing complete hartal for 14 days. The situation continues to be tense.

Second Session Of Consembly Meets To-day

NEW DELHI, Jan. 19 (API): The Constituent Assembly's second session opening tomorrow is intended to be a brief one lasting not more than a week. For the first two days the earlier practice of holding only a morning sitting will be continued, but thereafter a morning as well as an evening sitting will be held in order to get through the agenda.

Tomorrow the House will first discuss the sitting up a Steering Committee on Mr. Satyanarain Sinha's motion. The names suggested for it and approved at this evening's meeting of Congress members of the Assembly are: Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, Mr. S. H. Prater, Shrimati Durgabai, Mr. K. M. Munshi, Diwan Chamanlal, Sardar Ujjal Singh, Mr. S. N. Mane, Mr. Satyanarain Sinha, Mr. Ananthasayanam Ayyangar and Dr. Shaymaprasad Mukherjee.

The Committee's initial strength will be eleven members to whom eight more will be added later on, including four from Indian States. Its functions include arrangements of the order of business for each day; grouping of similar motions and amendments and securing, if possible, the assent of the parties concerned to composite motions and amendments, and acting as a general LIAISON body between the Assembly and the Sections.

The second item for the day is further consideration and final disposal of Pandit Nehru's "Objectives" resolution.

STATES COMMITTEE'S SCOPE

Tuesday's agenda includes a resolution in Pandit Nehru's name to extend the scope of the States Committee of the Assembly and give it power to confer with such persons as it thinks fit "for the purpose of examining the special problems of such territories or States as Bhutan or Sikkim and to report to the Assembly the result of such examination".

It is explained that the need for this amendment of the States Committee's constitution has arisen in order to enable it to deal with these two States which are politically outside British India and come within the purview of the External Affairs Department instead of the Political Department, which handles matters connected with Indian States.

Although this motion is set down on the agenda, the Steering Committee will finally decide the order in which it will be taken up.

OTHER COMMITTEES

Among other Committees which the session is expected to set up is the Advisory Committee on Fundamental Rights, Minorities and Tribal and excluded Areas. This will probably be one of the largest of the Committees of the Assembly and may consist of about forty members. It will split itself into three sub-Committees to deal individually with the three sets of subjects remitted to it. The rules provide that this Committee should have the exclusive right to initiate and consider proposals and to make a report to the Union Constituent Assembly upon Fundamental Rights, clauses for the protection of minorities and administration of the tribal and excluded areas. The rules also lay down that "the decisions of the Union Constituent Assembly upon the report of this Committee shall be binding on the Sections and shall be incorporated in the appropriate part of the Constitution".

Other business awaiting disposal including the amendments to two rules relating to Sikhs who have demanded the extension of the principle of double majority" to questions affecting their community. The session is likely to elect a Vice-Chairman of the Assembly.

STOP PRESS

ARRESTS IN BARAMBA STATE

CUTTACK, Jan. 19, (API): Mr. Kapil Sahu and five other members of the recently formed Barambe State Praja Mandal have been arrested by the State police within a few days of the announcement of the formation of the Praja Mandal, according to a bulletin issued by the All India States Peoples Conference, Orissa branch.

HAND BEHIND HUNGARIAN CONSPIRACY

BUDAPEST, Jan. 19, (Reuter): Continued investigation of the recently discovered plot to overthrow the Hungarian Republic has shown that many active and former officials of the Hungarian Foreign Office were invived in the "conspiracy", it was officially stated here today.

The announcement said that the Foreign Minister had given instructions for the recall of a number of Hungarian officials abroad.

The announcement also named Hungarians who have been recalled from Milan, Rome and Salzburg.

PARSLI Jan. 19. (Reuter): The Premier-Designate, M. Paul Ramadier, to-night informed the President of the Republic that he was willing to accept the invitation to form Government. This was interpreted in political circles as an indication that essential agreement between all parties for the formation of a coalition Government has virtually been reached.

TERRORIST ATTACKS IN POLAND

WARSAW, Jan. 18. (U.P.A.): A Security Ministry spokesman said to-night that underground forces in three eastern Polish districts were making a final effort to disrupt the elections with a series of terrorist attacks.

Colonel Roman Romkowski, Vice Minister of Security, said the attacks were centred in the Bialystok, Lublin and Rzeszow areas.

An unofficial source said 38 men held up a train in a search for Jews and beat up one woman of Jewish appearance.

INDIAN TROOPS IN BURMA.

LONDON, Jan. 19. (U.P.A.): The Indian Interim Government informed the British Government of its intention to withdraw Indian troops from Burma, it was learned to-day.

Quarters close to the Burmese delegation in London said the delegates understood the withdrawal would be completed during the next two or three months.

INDONESIAN PARLIAMENT SEATS.

BATAVIA, Jan. 19. (U.P.A.): The Indonesian Parliament's Working Committee on Friday vetoed President Soekarno's decree of December 30 increasing Parliament from 233 to 413 seats and thereby effecting an important strengthening of the left-wing, it was learned here to-day.

This is the first time one of the President's decrees has been vetoed by the Governmental body.

AZZAM PASHA PALESTINE CONFERENCE

LONDON, Jan. 19, (UPA): Well informed Arab sources stated today that Arab League Secretary General Abdel Rahman Azzam Pasha is not expected to attend the Palestine Conference, whose opening may be postponed because the Palestine Arab delegates might not arrive before Wednesday.

Considerable attention is given to Azzam's non-participation in the second half of the Palestine discussions because he acted as the Arab delegations' spokesman during the first part of the conference last September and October.

NANKING REJECTS YENAN TERMS

Attitude Towards "Reds" To Be Clarified

NANKING, Jan. 19 (Reuter): The Chinese National Government is today reported to be discussing a statement it will issue to clarify its future attitude towards Communists after the Communist rejection of its proposals for resumption of peace negotiations to end the present civil war.

Leaders of Young China and Democratic Socialist Parties are meeting Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek later today to discuss problems arising from the refusal of Communist headquarters in Yenan to receive General Chang Chih-Chung as Government's negotiator.

Carson Chang, one of the Democratic Socialist leaders, this morning conferred with Mr. Leighton Stuart, UUnited States Ambassador to China.

Amidst continued speculation on whether the Communist rejection of Government's proposals would mean intensification of the civil war, the Chinese newspaper "Hsin Mino-Pao" today, reported that Generalisimo Chiang Kai-Shek last night presided at a military conference attended by General Pai Chung-Hsi, Minister of National Defence, General Hsing Shi-Hui, Director of Generalissmo's Manchuran headquarters and General Chang Chih-Chung, Governor of Sinkiang Province.

The course, which the Government must now pursue was also discussed at a meeting of Government and minority leaders at the residence of Dr. Sun-Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan.

Lei Chen, Secretary General of the Political Consultative Conference, afterwards told the press that Government was still ready to resume pace talks but that the two demands of the Communists were unacceptable.

The Communists demand withdrawal of the constitution adopted by the National Assembly and restoration of troop position to their status on January 13, 1946 as a prerequisite to peac etalks.

Government troops in Manchuria after launching counter offensive to meet Communist advance towards the important Rail junction of Changchun have clashed with Communist at Tiutai, 30 miles North-east of Changchun, a spokesman of the National Defence Ministry stated tonight.

Britain Considers It As Still Binding

BEVIN'S LETTER TO STALIN: EXTENSION OFFER AGAIN

Absurd To Say That Treaty Lapses Because Of U.N.O.

LONDON, January 19. (U.P.A.): The Foreign Office announced tonight that Britain has formally reassured Generalissimo Josef Stalin that she regards the twenty-year Anglo-Soviet Alliance as still binding and stands by her previous offers to extend it to 50 years.

The Foreign Office said British Ambassador Sir Maurice Peterson yesterday handed a communication to Soviet Foreign Commissar V. Molotov for delivery to Stalin expressing surprise at suggestions in the semi-official Moscow newspaper "Pravda" that Britain regards the alliance as dead and superseded by the United Nations Organization.

LETTER TO STALIN

The communication to Stalin said: "The Foreign Secretary, on behalf of His Majesty's Government, has several times urged an extension of the treaty and has expressed regret that His Majesty's Government's proposals to this effect have not found acceptance by the Soviet Government.

"His Majesty's Government's attitude has not changed and it has never occurred to them to consider that the treaty could have been superseded or suspended. . .

"The fact that both Governments wish to make the United Nations Organization into an effective buttress of international security does not mean that the treaty lapses merely because the United Nations Organization has come into being. Moreover, no security agreements have yet been adopted under Article 43 of the Charter such as could possibly be held to justify its supercession.

NOT ANTI-SOVIET

"Pravda" also quoted Mr. Bevin's broadcast of December 22 as evidence that in his view the Alliance is dead. There is no question of this.

"The broadcast was intended to show that Britain's foreign policy was not aligned in an anti-Soviet direction but, on the contrary, favoured co-operation among all the United Nations and especially with Soviet Russia and the United States with the object of preserving peace and aiding reconstruction.

"The logical conclusion of 'Pravda's' interpretation of Mr. Bevin's remarks would be that all treaties and agreements between States are automatically superced d by the existence of the United Nations Organization, which would obviously be absurb".

Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin told Commons in October that he formally had proposed an extension of the alliance to 50 years to Russia once and Peterson also had done so once. Both Bevin and Prime Minister Attlee have referred to Britain's desire for the extension in speeches.

Jinnah Advised Complete Rest

KARACHI, Jan. 19, (a. P. I.): Mr. M. A. Jinnah, who has been advised to take complete rest has gone to Malir, a suburb about 14 miles from here for a change. He will return to the city on January 26, and preside over the meeting of the Working Committee of the All-India Muslim League the following day.

No. 7—

Before cotton fibres can be woven into cloth, they must be spun into threads, or yarns. Yarns differ considerably in size or fineness. The size of a yarn is indicated or measured by counts. The count is determined by the number, or count of hanks of any particular yarn that are required to weight a pound. A hank of yarn contains 840 yds. The counts range from 1's to 200's in practical use.

With the development and improvement of power driven machinery for spinning and weaving came other changes. When these works were done by hand "Charka" or "Takli" and small indigenous looms were used in all Indian homes. But with the invention of power machinery it was moved to factories.

Cotton that is to be made into cloth must be thoroughly cleansed of foreign matters then it must be opened so that each fibre is well separated from every other fibres, then the fibres must be straightened so that they will lie parallel, and then be twisted together to make a yarn. Such, in general, are the steps in getting the cotton ready for the loom. The whole manufacturing process may be divided into five parts: (1). Preparatory process. (2) Spinning, (3) Spodling, Warping and sizing, (4) Weaving and (5) Finishing.

Before spinning proper can begin, the raw cotton must pass through several machines-bale breaker, picker, carding machine etc. In the spinning process, the roving further attenuated and twisted into a firm, coherent yarn of the required strength and fineness. The spinning machine leaves its yarn, or finished product wound on a bobbin known as a "Cop". The cops that are used for weft or filling in weaving, that is, the threads that run across the goods, are placed in shuttles and used in weaving. In the process known as weaving the warf and the weft are interlaced with each other as seen in woven goods. This work is done by a machine known as a loom. When the cotton goods leave the loom they are ready for the finishing operations, which includes bleaching printing, mercerizing, dyeing, starching, dampening, pressing, and other treatments. When all these operations are completed you have the cotton cloth which at present is a serious problem with India's half naked millions.

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Exhibition Hockey

AFGHAN SIDE OVERWHELMED

BOMBAY, Sunday.

BOMBAY XI 4
AFGHAN XI 0

What the Afghan side might have experienced on Thursday last had the Lusitanians taken advantage of the scoring chances they were offered was indicated this evening when the visitors were outclassed in every department of the game by a local eleven. Two chances were wasted by the local side but then four were utilised.

The visitors found their goal being stormed from the very onset but it was not until some quarter of an hour had elapsed that Hakim collecting a pass in the D from Rodrigues scored the first goal to be registered against the visitors in Bombay. Almost immediately afterwards Hakim parted with the ball a few yards in front of the goal but Munir failed to take advantage of the good pass sent through by his railway colleague. A little while later Rodrigues missed from very near the goal but atoned for it by scoring from a melee.

Half time found the Afghan side two goals in arrears and the local forwards combining well and showing a disregard for the robust and not always unquestionable tactics shown by their deep defenders and Khurram in particular. The latter was always sound and for a player in his position showed remarkable qualities as a dribbler but often spoiled the just popularity that he may otherwise have earned from the spectators by resorting to means not entirely sporting. Besides in a side that used its vocal chords almost as much as their sticks, Khurram was the loudest and the most insistent Be that as it may Khurram stole the honours of the evening. The Afghans would definitely have been an extremely mediocre combination in spite of the robustness of their hockey had they left behind them this deep defender who spoiled a number of dangerous moves.

After the interval, Carvalho increased the margin by converting from a short corner and Munir baffled the custodian to get one of his typical Munir goals from a going away an side.

The Bombay forwards combined well and Rodrigues showed excellent judgment when placed between two of Bombay's most prolific forwards. Prem Prakash was also efficient but the hustling tactics of their opponents did not make it possible to use the long pass as often as the forwards might have wished to.

At the close of the match the visitors were given a tea-party.

The teams were:—

BOMBAY XI

Pinto, A. Carvalho and C. Fereira, Mulla, Latif and M. Vaz, Prem Prakash, Hakim, Rodrigues, Munir and Fichardo.

AFGHAN XI

Ahmed Shah Khan, Salauddin Khao, Bokhari and Mohd. Khurram, Bakhtiar Gul Khan, Nasnullah Khan and Mohd. Afir Khan, Mohd. Amio Khan, Faruk Sujar Khan, Shuja-ud-din Khan, Abdul Ghaffar Khan and Mohd. Naijeem Khan.

Monday's matches at 4-30 p.m. G. S. Medical College vs. Grant Medical College (semi-final of Inter-Collegiate Hockey) at 5-30 p.m. Lusitanians vs. Proctor (Ladies).

Olympic Games

Gazdar Sisters Sweep Ladies' Events

BOMBAY, Sunday.

IN THE 12TH OLYMPIC GAMES CONCLUDED IN THE CITY THIS EVENING MISS B. D. GUZDAR AND HER SISTER MISS M. D. GAZDAR BAGGED A NUMBER OF TRO PHIES.

Three new Bombay records were created. In the 3,000 metres run for men Kirpal Singh retained the timing of 9mts. 26.4setc. thus lowering the previous record by 2.4 secs. In the 110 metres hurdles for men L. Woodcock finished in 15.5 secs. lowering 1 second in the Bombay record. The third was made by Ram Singh in the 1,500 metrer run when he finished in 4 minutes and 16.5 seconds reducing the Bombay record by 3.5 seconds.

The following are the results of the finals:—

MEN

100 METRES RUN: 1 L. Woodcock; 2 B. Fernandes 3 J. B. D'Silva (time 11 secs.)

200 METRES RUN: 1 L. Woodcock; 2 K. P. Tata; 3 B. Fernandes (time 22.9 secs.)

400 METRES RUN:—1 R. N. Utcuit; 2 B. Proudfoot; 3 J. Pereira (time 51.5 secs.)

800 METRES RUN:—1 B. Proudfoot; 2 Capt. Thomson; 3 Kaunds (time 2 mts. 4.4 secs.)

1,500 METRES RUN:—1 Ram Singh; 2 Tulsi Ram; 3 C. F. Furtado (Time 4 mts. 16.5 secs.)

3,000 METRES RUN:—1 Kirpal Singh; 2 Tulsi Ram; 3 L. Pereira (Time 9 mts. 26.4 secs.)

5,000 METRES RUN:—1 C. Furtado; 2 P. N. Thakkur; 3 L. Pereira (Time 16 mts 16 3/5 secs)

10,000 METRES RUN:—1 P. N. Thakore, 2 L. Pereira; 3 Figuerado (Time 34 mts. 10 2/5. secs.)

MARATHON RACE:—1 Ganpat Sevekar 2 B. D'Souza; 3 Jadav Raja (Time 3 hrs. 13 mts. 10 3/5 secs)

5,000 METRES WALK:—1 N. Gracious 2 Rodrigues; 3 Paul Vaz (Time 28 mts 57 1/4 secs.)

50 KILOMETRES WALK: 1 Oswald Rodriques; 2 A. D'Souza; 3 M. E. Kamoda (Time 6 hrs. 22 mts. 10 3/5 secs.)

110 M. HURDLES: 1 L. Woodcock; 2 Baldev Singh 3 J. Vickers (Time 15.3 secs. (BOMBAY RECORD).

400 M. RELAY 4 x 100: 1 Trio Athletic Club; 2 Cosmopolitan Sports Club; 3 Tata Sports Club (Time 45.3)

1 600 M. RELAY (4 x 400): 1 Cosmopolitan Sports Club; 2 Tata Sports Club; 3 Poona Sub Area Athletic Team (Time 3 mas. 35.7 secs.)

RUNNING HIGH JUMP: 1 Baldev Singh 2 Rao U. S.; 3 L. M. Fernandes: (Height 5 ft. 10 ins.)

POLE VAULT. 1 H. Moris. 2 Gopal Ram; 3 Aaron H. A. (Height 10 ft. 1. ins

RUNNING BROAD-JUMP: 1 Baldev Singh; 2 R. A. Lethbrige; 3 P. D Souza (Dist. 22 ft. 3 ins.)

HOP, STEP AND JUMP: 1 R. A. Lethbridge; 2 M. A. Mani; 3 T. P. Lefebour (Dist. 45 ft. 9 ins.)

PUTTING THE SHOT: 1 B. R. Bhasania, 2 Nadar Khan; 3 S. Yasammy (Dist. 36 ft. 10 3/4 ins.)

DISCUSS THROW: 1 Kacha Dorian, 2 Baldev Singh 3 B. R. Bhasania (Dist. 101 ft. 2 7/8 ins.)

THROWING THE HAMMER: 1 Karam Singh; 2 J. A. Guerra; 3 F. N. Desando (Dist. 90 ft. 1 5/8 ins.)

1,000 METRES CYCLE TIME TRIAL: 1 A. R. Havewala; 2 K. K. Dastur; 3 K. H. Printer (Time 1 mt. 34.2 secs.)

1,000 METRES CYCLE SPRINT: 1 A. R. Havewala; 2 K. H. Printer; 3 H. R. Havewalla.

3,000 METRES WALK: 2 Rodriques, 3 Salian (Time 16 mts. 13.4 secs.)

4,000 METRES CYCLE TEAM: Pursuit men: 1 Poona Sub Area Athletic Team; 2 Zorastrian Unanti Dwara.

WOMEN

50 METRES RUN. 1 B. D. Gazdar; 2 R. M. Mistry; 3 C. R Janiwala (Time 6.8 secs.)

100 METRES RUN: 1 B D Gazdar, 2 M. D Gazdar, 3 C. R. Janiwala (Time 13 4 secs.)

80 METRES HURDLES: 1 B. D. Gazdar; 2 P. R Durham; 3 M. D. Gazdar (Time 15.5 secs.)

RUNNING HIGH JUMP: 1 S. Kambhoy; 2 B. D. Gazdar (Height 4 ft. 6 ins.)

RUNNING BROAD-JUMP: 1 B. D. Gazdar; 2 P. R. Durham; 3 M. D. Gazdar (Dist. 14 ft. 8 1/2 ins.)

THROWING THE JAVELIN: 1 B. D. Gazdar; 2 P R Durham; 3 P. D'Souza (Dist. 62 ft 1 1/4 ins.)

400 METRES RELAY: 1 St. Xavier College; 2 G.I.P. Rly. Institute; Byculla; 3 Ame Badha (Time 57.3 secs.)

200 METRES RUN: 1 B. D. Gazdar; 2 M. D. Gazdar; 3 P. R. Durham (27.9 secs.)

500 METRES CYCLE RACE: 1 D. Jardine; 2 J. N. Thakkar; 3 M. D. Gazdar (Time 56 secs.)

1,000 METRES CYCLE RACE: J. N. Thakkar; 2 D Bhathena; 3 M. D. Gazdar.

BENGAL ESTABLISH BIG LEAD ON FIRST INNINGS

U. P. Fare Disastrously In Ranji Trophy Match

CALCUTTA, Jan. 19. (A.P.I.):. In the second day of the East Zone Ranji Trophy match between Bengal and the United Provinces, Bengal in their first innings were all out for 295.

The United Provinces in their first innings were all out for 95, 200 runs behind Bengal's score.

Bengal had made 92 runs for five wickets in their second innings at the close of play to-day.

SCORE BOARD

BENGAL (First Innings)

D. Das b Asundi	67
M. Sen run out	6
P. Sen c Jasim Khan b Ashundi	0
N. Chatterjee c Narendra Singh b M. Bashir Ahmed	3
K. Bhattacharya run out	0
P. Roy (not out)	112
S. Mustafi c Khwaja b N. Singh	20
A. Garbis b Narendra Singh	41
P. Chatterjee b Karim	3
S. Banerjee b Narendra Singh	4
N. Choudhury b. Narinder Singh	15
Extras	24
Total	295

FALL OF WICKETS: 1 for 57, 2 for 4, 3 for 8, 4 for 45, 5 for 73, 6 for 122, 7 for 241, 8 for 252, 9 for 263.

BOWLING ANALYSIS:

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Narinder Singh	22.3	5	54	4
F. A. Karim	31	11	54	1
K. R. Ashundi	17	3	40	2
Ranganathan	8	0	26	0
Jaseem Khan	12	0	54	0
S. Khawhja				14

UNITED PROVINCES (First Innings)

M. K. Balendu Shah c. P. Chatterjee b. S. Banerjee	7
G. D. Wagh b. P. Chaterjee	1
Narinder Singh l.b.w. P. Chatterjee	0
Jaseem Khan b. N. Choudhury	29
S. Khawaja	14
K. R. Ashundi (not out)	6
Kaleemuddin b. P. Chatterjee	0
F. A. Karim b. P. Chatterjee	0
Bashir Ahmed b. P. Chatterjee	13
Ranganathan c. P. Chatterjee	22
Extras	2
Total	95

FALL OF WICKETS: 1 for 4, 2 for 4, 3 for 8, 4 for 47, 5 for 73, 6 for 73, 7 for 74, 8 for 74, 9 for 93.

BOWLING ANALYSIS:

	O.	M.	R.	W.
S. Banerjee	9	3	25	1
P. Chatterjee	16	7	31	7

Baroda All Out For 270

Gujerat Skipper Rescues His Team From Early Debacle

BARODA, Jan. 19, (API): At the close of second day's play of the West Zone Semi-final for the Ranji Trophy, Gujerat in their first innings had made 180 for the loss of nine wickets. (Khambatta (batting) 44, Ram Hazare (batting) zero.)

Baroda continuing their unfinished first innings today were all out for 270 runs after the innings had lasted just over an hour. Deepak Shodhan and Vinoo Mankad doing all the damage and sharing the remaining four wickets equally between themselves. Amir Elahi remained unbeaten with 23.

Gujerat began disastrously losing Alimuddin and Bikhu Patel early but the third wicket partnership between Vinoo Mankad, who opened the Gujerat innings, and Prithviraj retrieved the position. But when the score was 117 Gujerat again faced a crisis and lost two more wickets before tea interval.

After tea Kambatta and Kesari who appeared to be well set indulged in fast scoring and the pair sent up 150 of the innings. At this stage new ball was taken and Ahmed Patel who was entrusted with the attack was successful in capturing two quick wickets, that of Kesari and Deepakh Shodhan, with the fifth and sixth deliveries of his very first over in this spell. At this stage Ahmed Patel's analysis was seven overs, two maidens, fourteen runs and three wickets.

Jasu Patel the next man in did not stay long being sent back to the pavilion caught behind the wicket by Nimbalkar, the Baroda Skipper, off Vijay Hazare. Ram Hazare and Kambatta, who now became associated for the last wicket, however played out time and when the stumps were drawn for the day. Gujerat had made 186 runs for the loss of nine wickets.

SCORE BOARD

BARODA (First Innings)	270
GUJERAT (First Innings)	
Vinoo Mankad b. Vivek Hazare	44
Alimuddin b. Ahmed Patel c. Nimbalkar	6
Bikhu Patel b. Vijay Hazare	17
Prithviraj b. Vivek Hazare	28
J. Shodhan c. Vijay Hazare b. Amir Elahi	14
P. N. Khambatta (not out)	44
D. P Medh c. Adhikari b. Vivek Hazare	1
K. P. Kesari c. Nimbalkar b. Ahmed Patel	20
Dipak Shodan b. Ahmed Patel	0
Jasu Patel c. Nimbalkar b. Vijay Hazare	2
Ram Hazare (batting)	0
Extras	10
Total (for nine wickets)	186

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Ahmed Patel	10	2	21	3
Vijaya Hazare	34	12	67	2
Amir Elahi	25	5	67	1
Vivek Hazare	13	2	21	3

SOUTH ZONE RANJI TROPHY CRICKET

HYDERABAD (Dn.), Jan. 19. (A. P. I.):—Hyderabad made 356 runs for six wickets at close of play today in their match against Mysore in the South Zone of the Ranji Trophy Cricket Tournament.

Albara 124, Bharsehand 58.

Two British League Offers To Lindwall

SYDNEY, Jan. 18 (Reuter): Ray Lindwall, the Australian Test fast bowler is considering two offers to play in English League Cricket and Football, according to the cricket correspondent of the "Sydney Daily Telegraph." One is from the Bradford League and the other from a club in the Lancashire League.

Lindwall said: "The English offers are so tempting that they warrant serious consideration and because I am not in a position in Sydney, I might have to accept." Lindwall plays in Sydney Rugby League Club.

K. Bhattacharya	4	3	6	0
N. Chowdhury	10	2	31	2

BENGAL (Second Innings)

D. Das. b Ashundi	1
M. Sen b Waugh	13
P. Sen c Waugh b Narindersingh	45
A. Barhis b Bashir Ahmed	8
P. Chatterjee (batting)	14
S. Mustafi l.b.w. Bashir Ahmed	5
Extras	5
Total (for 5 wickets)	92

Vaishnavite Temple Open To Harijans

MADRAS, Jan. 19. (A.P.I.): Harijans to-day gained admittance into the famous Vaishnavite Temple of Sri Andal at Srivilliputtur when the president of the Hindu Religious Endowments Board, Mr. Chinain Pillai received a batch of Harijans, Nadars and others and conducted them into the temple for worship.

Mr. Koti Reddi, Minister for Religious Endowments, was present.

The Tirumalai—Tirupathi Temple is expected to be thrown open to Harijans by January 29.

A deputation on behalf of Harijans yesterday waited on the Minister for Religious Endowments. A memorandum was presented to him requesting Government to immediately throw the temple open to Harijans.

The deputationists also informed the Minister of their decision to lead party of Harijans into the temple on "Rathasaptami Day" Jan. 29, if in the meantime Government did not pass orders allowing Harijans the entry of the temple.

ARGENTINE BUYS UP BR.-OWNED RAILWAYS

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 19 (APA): British stockholders have accepted Argentina's offer of $500,000,000 (125,000,000 pounds) for British-owned railways in Argentina, it was learned in Buenos Aires today. Britain had originally asked for $750,000,000.

The acceptance of the offer had been communicated to the Argentine Foreign Office by the British Ambassador Sir Reginald Leeper, the informant said.

Anglo-U.S. Conference To Tackle Palestine Issue

Baldwin's Plea In Report To Truman

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 (Reuter): The United States Government was urged to take the initiative in calling an immediate Anglo-American conference on military, economic and political aspects of the Palestine problem in a report presented to President Truman to-day by former Congressman, Joseph Clark Baldwin, now an official of the Political Action Committee for Palestine.

Mr. Baldwin drew up the report at the President's request after talks with British leaders in London and Arabs and Jews in Palestine. He urged that such a conference should presuppose "joint recognition of Palestine as an independent democracy in which shall be included politically—homeless Jews in Europe and the boundaries of which shall be the existing boundaries of Palestine, temporarily exclusive of the Transjordan."

OPPOSE PARTITION

Mr. Baldwin urged the President to oppose the partition of Palestine into Jewish and Arab States as this would only postpone an issue "fraught with danger to Anglo-American friendship and unity of action."

He asserted that the position of British troops in Palestine was becoming untenable and that steps to replace them by an International Military Force under the auspices of the United Nations were necessary to prevent a deterioration of the situation.

"The underground movements are widely supported by the population both Jewish and Arab and are slowly but surely forcing the British military in Palestine out of the position of a friendly force into the position of an enemy occupying army—at least in the public mind", he said. "There can be no other explanation of the failure of the British to apprehend any of either the instigators or perpetrators of the current acts of violence.

The report urged that in addition to the military force during the formation of Palestine State, the United Nations should provide a commission to supervise the Constitutional Congress and the subsequent elections.

LAND COMMISSION TO PROTECT ARAB HOLDINGS

It further asked for a United Nations Land Commission "to protect Arabs in their present land holdings."

The report stipulated that in the Constitutional Congress and in later elections homeless Jews in Europe should be regarded as Palestinian citizens.

Mr. Baldwin proposed that to promote economic development of the entire Middle East the United States Export—Import Bank should make loans totalling 300,000,000 dollars to Palestine and to the States of the Arab League subject to political and financial agreements.

Redshirt Mission For Waziristan

PESHAWAR, Jan. 19, (API): The Redshirt Tribal Goodwill Mission, which had to abandon their trip to South Waziristan has again left for South Waziristan says a report from Tank.

Nizam Appoints Public Services Commission

HYDERABAD, (Dn). January 19, (API): H. E. H. the Nizam has sanctioned the appointment of a Public Services Commission for Hyderabad, it is officially announced.

The Commission will consist of the following: Col. M. A. Rehman, member, Federal Public Service Commission, Chairman; Mr. Govind Rao and Mr. Mirza Hosain Ali Khan, members and Mr. F. E. Quaraishi, Deputy Secretary, Federal Public Services Commissioner, Secretary.

The term of office of the chairman and members will be three years.

JAGIRS REFORM

A Commission, with Sir Albion Banerji as chairman and six others as members, has been appointed by H. E. H. the Nizam's Government to inquire into the administration of Jagirs (landed estates) and suggest reforms.

A copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, Bengal.

PROSPECTUS

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PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:—

1. Ordinary Shares—Rs. 2/- per share with application, Rs. 2/- within thirty days from the date of allotment, and the balance in three equal instalments of Rs. 2/- at intervals of not less than two months between any two calls.
   Any member may pay in advance the full value of his or her shares with application and such payments will entitle them to 6% interest until the calls become presently payable.
2. Preference Shares—Each preference share is payable Rs. 50/- with application and Rs. 50/- on allotment.
3. Deferred Shares—The full value of deferred shares are payable with application.
   An Admission Fee of Re. 1/- is payable with each application for shares.

RIGHTS OF SHARES:—The preference shareholders are entitled to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend of 6% free of income-tax and in winding up to repayment of capital in priority to all other shares but to no other right of participating either in profits or assets. Such preference shares carry no voting rights and are redeemable at six months' notice at the rate of Rs. 125/- per share.

The deferred shareholders are entitled to a dividend upto Re. 1/- per share, after the ordinary shareholders are paid a dividend at 10% free of income-tax and thereafter in the same proportion at Re. 1/- after each 10% increase in dividend.

VOTING RIGHTS:—Every ordinary or deferred shareholder present in person will have one vote on a show of hands and in a poll when present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for each share held by him in the Company. No member shall be entitled to be present at any general meeting or to vote either personally or by proxy whilst any call or other sum be due and payable to the Company in respect of any shares by such member.

Failure to pay any future instalment or calls on the shares allotted when due, may render all previous payments liable to forfeiture.

Application for shares should be made in the accompanying form and sent to any of the Company's bankers or to the Managing Agents.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

1. Mr. J. P. CHALIHA, Proprietor, Koranigini Tea Estate; Director, Indian Tea and Provisions Ltd.; 36, Golf Club Road, Tollygunj, Calcutta.
2. Mr. A. C. NANDY, Merchant, 10A, Krishna Ram Bose Street, Calcutta.
3. Mr. J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Tea Planter; Director, the Peerless Tea Co., Ltd.; Director, The Sylhet Duars Tea Co., Ltd.; 71, Clive Street, Calcutta.
4. Mr. H. N. SEN, Colliery Proprietor, Asansol.
5. Mr. P. C. CHATTERJEE, Merchant; Director, Indian Tea & Provisions Ltd., Director, Sylhet Duars Tea Co., Ltd.; 6, Mission Row, Calcutta.

MANAGING AGENTS

Messrs. P. C. Chatterjee & Co., 6, Mission Row, Calcutta.

BANKERS:

1. Calcutta National Bank Ltd.
2. Hooghly Bank Ltd.
3. Comilla Union Bank Ltd.

SOLICITORS:

Messrs. Bose & Mitter, 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

AUDITORS:

Mr. P. N. Choudhury, M.A., G.D.A., R.A., Registered Accountant, 31-C, Ramkrishna Samadhi Road, Calcutta.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY:—The Company has been formed generally for the purposes set out in the Memorandum of Association and particularly with the object of acquiring by purchase colliery or collieries and to conduct and carry on the business or trades of colliery properties, coke manufacturers, mineral merchants, raise, make marketable, buy, sell and deal in coal, coke, iron, stone, brick, fire bricks and metal, etc.

PROSPECT:—The Company has purchased the Mithapur Colliery in the Raniganj field for Rs. 2,55,000/- from Babu Subodh Kumar Mukherjee, Raniganj.

The area of the land is 500 Bighas and contains some of the best coal seams of Bengal as will be evidenced from the Geological Survey Report, etc. Reports have also been taken from experts, and a working plan has been made.

The property contains:—
1. Sreepur Seam, 2. Satgram Seams, 3. Poniati Seam.

These are selected A and B and No. 1 quality coal.

The property has recently been inspected by Mr. G. D. Bartletmair, Mining Engineer; Manager, Bharat Collieries Ltd. He estimates the coal in Sreepur and Satgram seams to be 3,253,000 tons.

It is estimated that an average monthly raising of 6,000-7,000 tons of coal will be possible as soon as the colliery is properly equipped.

Calculating the costs of production, at the present market, a clean profit of Rs. 5/- per ton may safely be calculated. But your Directors want to be conservative in their estimate and calculate a raising of 50,000 tons annually and a profit at Rs. 3/- per ton.

At the above calculation an annual profit of Rs. 1,50,000/- may safely be estimated. Needless to say that the profits may increase with the increase in raising.

After paying for depreciation, etc., and keeping sufficient funds for reserve and workers' welfare, etc., the Company will be able to declare a very good dividend from the first year of working.

It is needless to emphasise that coal is a very prosperous industry now and being the basic element for all industries is likely to remain prosperous in future also and has a demand from all over the world. With the growth of industries in the country, coal is likely to be in great demand for many years to come.

All coal shares are now quoted in the Stock Exchange at a very high premium.

MANAGING AGENTS:

The business of the Company shall be carried on and managed by the Managing Agents, under the supervision and control of the Directors. Messrs. P. C. Chatterjee & Co., of 6, Mission Row, Calcutta shall be appointed the first Managing Agents for 20 years and subject to the sanction of a special resolution shall be entitled to a monthly remuneration of Rs. 500/- (this remuneration may be increased to Rs. 1,000/- per month by the Directors when a dividend is declared and paid on ordinary shares) and a commission at the rate of 10% on the net profits of the Company calculated as provided by Section 87C (3) of the Indian Companies Act.

MINIMUM SUBSCRIPTION:— The minimum subscription upon which the Directors may proceed to allotment has been fixed at 2,000 shares to the nominal value of Rs. 20,000/- only.

PRELIMINARY EXPENSES:— The preliminary expenses have been estimated at an amount not exceeding Rs. 10,000/-.

DIRECTORS' QUALIFICATION:—The qualification of a Director shall be his holding at least 250 ordinary shares of the face value of Rs. 2,500/- either in his own name or jointly with others. Each Director will be paid Rs. 16/- for each meeting attended by him and when the Company pays a dividend of at least 5% on the ordinary shares, the Directors will be paid a commission of 2½ (two and half) per cent on the year's net profits of the Company.

INTEREST OF DIRECTORS:—None of the Directors excepting Sj. P. C. Chatterjee, who is at present the sole proprietor of the Managing Agents' firm, has any interest in the Company save as shareholders.

COMMISSION AND BROKERAGE:—The Company may pay to any person a commission at a rate not exceeding 10% of the face value of the shares for subscribing or agreeing to subscribe for any shares in the capital of the Company.

CONTRACT:—An agreement between the Company and Messrs. P. C. Chatterjee & Co. of 6, Mission Row, Calcutta, shall be entered, appointing the latter as Managing Agents.

DOCUMENTS:—A copy of the Articles of Association of the Company and a copy of the agreement referred to above may be inspected in the office during business hours.

The Memorandum of Association forms a part of this prospectus; copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association may be purchased from the Company on payment of Re. 1/- for each copy.

Subject to the restrictions imposed by the Indian Companies Act, any Director, officer, the Managing Agents or one of their members may be called upon to perform any extra services or make special exertions in the interests of the Company and the Company may remunerate such services or exertions by sums or otherwise in such ways as the Directors may think fit.

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I hereby agree to accept the same or any less number that may be allotted to me subject to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company.

I authorise you to place my name on the Register of the members of the Company in respect of the Shares allotted to me.

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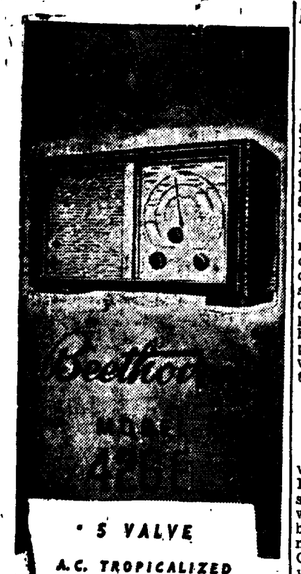

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To Be Held In Bombay From 27th Jan. To 8th Feb.

Under the auspices of the Bombay Society of Model Engineers, the Fourth Annual Model Builders and Handicrafts Exhibition will be held at St. Xavier's High School Hall, Dhobi Talao, from 24th January to 8th February 1947 (both days inclusive).

This exhibition promises to be a more imposing one than any previously held since the Society has secured this year the co-operation of some of the leading industrial concerns and railway and shipping companies for displaying models which have been the foundations of the prototype equipment they handle and which will be on display for the first time in Bombay.

Industrial Plant & Machinery Panel's Report

A Conference of representatives of various Provincial Governments and Indian States was held in the Jaisalmer House, New Delhi in last week to consider the Report prepared by the Industrial Plant and Machinery (Heavy) Panel set up by the Government of India. Mr. Gaganvihari L. Mehta, Chairman of the Panel, presided. Mr. H. K. Kirpalani was also present. Mr. C. S. N. Raju is the Secretary of the Panel. Representatives of Provincial Governments of Bengal, U.P., C.P., Punjab, Madras and States of Travancore and Jaipur offered their facilitations to the Panel and made detailed observations and suggestions on the Report and various recommendations. Considerable stress was laid at the meeting on the need for utilising equipment, tools, technical personnel of the ordnance factories for building up engineering industry and also for obtaining requisite plant and machinery from abroad including Germany and Japan as a part of reparation for establishing a heavy machinery industry. Stress was also laid on the need of High Power Technical Committee to prepare detailed plan for the development of heavy engineering industry and for adequate Statistical Organisation and Standardisation in engineering products. The Report will be submitted to the Government of India for their consideration.

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Domestic Occurrence

DEATH

DESAI—Keshavlal Chhaganlal, (81), Father of Manilal Desai, Advocate, Secretary Hergowan Anandji Desai Trust and grandfather of Navinchandra Desai, died on Sunday, at his residence—100, Bhuleshwar Street, Uthamna will take place on Wednesday, the 22nd instant, at 4 p.m. (B. T.).

Today's Engagements

NOTICE TO JURORS.

Special and Common Jurors' attention is drawn to the notes at the foot of the proclamation published in the Public Notifications Column.

MUSLIM YOUTHS' TABLE-TENNIS TOURNAMENT: The Table-Tennis Tournament will be held under the auspices of "The Muslim Youths' Association" for Muslim Youths', at the Anjumane Islam Agboatwala High School, New Nagpada Road.

The last date for entries will be Jan. 31, at 7 p.m., at Nagpada Neighbourhood House. For particulars see Table-Tennis Secretary from 5 to 7 p.m.

G. I. P. RAILWAYMEN'S UNION: The annual general meeting of Parel Branch will be held on Jan. 31, at 5-40, at Shirodkar High School near Nare Park, Parel.

MUSLIM STUDENTS' UNION: Conversational meeting with Mr. G. Allana, Secretary, Sind Provincial Muslim League, today (Monday), at 6-15 p.m.., Union Hall, near J. J. Hospital.

PROF. WADIA'S LECTURE: Today (Monday), at 6 p.m., at Alexandra Girls' School, Waudby Road, on "The values of life: Means and End".

TELEGRAPH NOTIFICATION: February 4, 1947, is declared a telegraph holiday for Id-Milad. All telegraph offices and telegraph branches and combined offices will observe Sunday working hours and will not accept ordinary inland telegrams.

Bombay Physical Culture Conference

The second session of the above conference will be held on Feb. 8, 9 and 10, at Nare Park, Parel. There will be grand demonstrations of physical feats, mass drills, wrestling bouts and other sports. Mr. S. K. Patil will preside. Swami Kuwalayanand, Mr K. M. Munshi, Mr. Achut Patwardhan, Lieut.-Col. Jagannathrao Bhosale, Nana Patil, Dr. K. S. Mhaskar and many others will speak on the necessity of physical education. This year school tournaments of national games will be organised by the Central Bombay Students' Congress for the students in Central Division of the B. P. C. A.

Mr. Bhat Retires

Bombay Province will soon lose the services of one of the ablest civilians, Mr. M. D. Bhat, who has been permitted to retire from the Indian Civil Service. Mr. Bhat proceeds on six months' leave from today preparatory to retirement. He joined the I. C. S. in 1921 and having served in several posts in Bombay and Sind, was selected by the Congress Ministry as Municipal Commissioner for Bombay in 1938. Mr. Bhat proved himself to be one of the most efficient and popular Commissioners Bombay has had. He remained at the post for six years. During the last few years he has worked as Milk Commissioner and Excise Commissioner and for some months past also as Commissioner of Sales Tax. After retiring from I. C. S. Mr. Bhat, it is understood, will become chairman of the Bombay Insurance Association in succession to Mr. D. N. Khandalawala.

Mr. E. W. Perry, Commissioner Central Division, will succeed Mr. Bhat, Mr. S. Ridley, Collector of Nasik replacing the former

Muslims In Posts And Telegraphs

"A Plea for Justice to the Muslim Nation"—a pamphlet compiled by the Bombay Muslim Chundri Merchants' Association, enumerates the grievances of Muslims in the matter of recruitment to the Indian Posts and Telegraphs, the gravamen of the complaint being that Muslim percentage in Posts and Telegraph services is only 4, though the Government of India assured in 1934 that Muslims would have a representation of 25 per cent in all-India services. The purpose of the pamphlet is to draw the attention of the Hon. Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar, Member-in-Charge of Communications, Posts and Air and get the grievances redressed.

MUNICIPAL STAFF'S THREAT OF STRIKE

The Bombay Municipal Staff Union, to-day resolved to serve, on January 20, a 14-day notice of strike on the Bombay Municipality because their grievances, which had been represented to the Municipality, were not redressed so far.

A token half-day strike on January 23 will be observed by the staff as a significance of their solidarity.

A committee of three members with Mr. S. H. Jhabvalla as their adviser was formed to negotiate with the Municipality in respect of their demands. Failing a settlement the employees have scheduled to go on strike from February 3.—A.P.I.

ALLAHABAD, Jan. 19, (API): At a meeting of the Executive Council of the Allahabad University held on January 18, the Vice-Chancellor presiding, it was decided that Dr. Tara Chand be appointed to act as Vice-Chancellor from the date on which Dr. Jha proceeds on leave.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

MONDAY, Jan. 20.

BOMBAY—1.

244 m. (1,231 kc/s)—7-30 a.m. Song of the Week (by D'Amel) 7-40 News (M) 7-50 News (G) 8-0 News (E) 8-15 News (E) 8-30 Air Quartet 8-45 V. L. Shah (Nuravi) 9-0 S. C. R. Bhatt 9-30 Close down.

12-0 p.m. Behnon Ke Liye 12-45 News (M) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 Geet Mala 1-25 News (E) 1-30 News (E) 1-40 Music 4-20 School Broadcast 5-0 Flute Solo (By D'Amel) 5-15 D. R. Godbole 5-45 Topic of the Day 5-55 Locals 6-0 News (E) 6-10 News (E) 6-15 Marathi Stage Songs 6-30 Ninu Musumdar (G) 6-45 U. L. Shah 7-0 Monday Special 7-15 Violin Duet 7-30 Krishna Udyavarkar 8-0 News (M) 8-15 News (G) 8-30 Kshvato 8-45 Kavya Darshan 9-0 News (E) 9-15 News (E) 9-30 B. B. C. News Relay 9-40 Programme Parade 9-45 On to the Debate 10-35 Krishna Udyavarkar 10-40 S. C. R. Bhatt.

MARATHI JOURNALISTS' CONFERENCE

Demand For Withdrawal Of Oppressive Press Laws

DHULIA, Jan. 18 (A.P.I.): A suggestion to organise newspaper co-operative societies "to combat the possible onslaught of capitalism on the Fourth Estate" was made by Mr. T. R. Deogirikar, Editor of "Chitramaya Jagat", in his presidential address to the seventh session of the Marathi Journalists' Conference which was held here. Mr. Deogirikar said he was doubtful whether this idea would be acceptable to many, but he thought this was the only way to meet the threat of capitalists which loomed large at present.

Mr. Deogirikar warned the Government against the use of extreme measures such as promulgation of an ordinance against the Press. He also suggested that in the interest of freedom of the Press Government should do away with all oppressive Press laws promulgated during the previous regimes, and all securities from newspapers, forfeited in recent years, should be handed over to representative Press organisations like the Marathi Journalists' Conference, to be utilised to raise the standard of newspapers.

Mr. Vasantrao Bansing, President of the Dhulia City Municipality, inaugurating the session traced the history of Marathi periodicals in Khandesh District.

Mr. N. V. Tilak, Chairman of the Reception Committee welcomed the delegates.

Messages wishing success to the session were received amongst others from Messrs. G. V. Mavlankar, President of the Central Assembly, B. G. Kher, Premier of Bombay, Morarji Desai, Home Minister, Bombay, L. B. Bhopatkar, President of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha, G. D. Vartak and G. D. Tapase, Minister of the Bombay Government and S. A. Brelvi, editor of the "Bombay Chronicle".

EXHIBITION.

An exhibition of Marathi periodicals published during the last century was opened this morning by Prof. N. R. Phatak, of Bombay, who traced the history of Marathi journalism since 1830.

OPENING OF WORKERS' LIBRARY

The Labour Minister of the Government of Bombay, Mr. Gulzarilal Nanda, who is leaving for Sholapur tonight, will visit labour welfare centres and preside over the prize distribution ceremony of the D.A.V. College at Sholapur on Sunday.

Mr. Nanda will declare open a workers' library at Barsi started by the Rashtriya Girni Kamgar Sangh on Monday and visit the sugar factory at Akluj the same day.

Returning to Sholapur the following day, the Labour Minister will address a public meeting there and then leave for Bombay, where he will arrive on Wednesday morning.

PAINTINGS IN INDIA LACK VITALITY, SAYS NEHRU

NEW DELHI, Jan. 18 (API.) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru today opened an exhibition of paintings and drawings by Gopal Ghose, organised by the All-India Fine Arts and Crafts Society. Declaring the exhibition open, Pandit Nehru said that paintings in this country lacked vitality. They are full of repose and make one sleepy. India needs developing vitality in every aspect of life and the paintings of Gopal Ghose show that vitality.

A TOKEN STRIKE ON JAN. 25

The General Council of the Federation of the Insurance Employees union at its meeting, today, called upon the individual unions to observe a token strike on Jan. 25, to express their solidarity with the Empire of India and Bombay Life employees who have been on strike for over 50 days.

The General Council appointed Propaganda and Finance Committees to do propaganda and to collect funds to help the strikers.—A.P.I.

NEED FOR UNITY AMONG MEDICOS

Gilder's Address At Inter-Collegiate Union's Exhibition

BOMBAY, Sunday.

Dr. M. D. D. Gilder, Minister for Public Health, Bombay, declared open this morning a medical exhibition, arranged by the Inter-Collegiate Clinical Union, at the J. J. Hospital.

The exhibition, which is both interesting and instructive, is part of the annual function of the Clinical Union.

Dr. Gilder, in a speech on the occasion emphasised the need for unity among medical men for the sake of the profession's progress in India.

Dr. Gilder praised the work of the Inter-Collegiate Clinical Union during the past years, and hoped that next year, which was the thirteenth, would be a good year for the Union.

CUTCH SUTHARI, Jan. 17 The opening ceremony of Shree Ratanshi Khimyshi Khond Public Dispensary was performed here today by H. H. Maharaj Shree of Cutch.

Maharashtra Sangeeta Vidyalaya

One of the oldest institutions of Bombay, The Maharashtra Sangeeta Vidyalaya, entered its 21st year of useful existence this month. A large and cosmopolitan gathering of ladies and gentlemen were present at Blavatsky Lodge on the occasion of their annual celebrations a few days ago. It imparts classical music both vocal and instrumental and one of the chief objects of the institution was to impart scientific music to the students at a cheap cost. Its course in vocal music is spread over 8 years and that in instrumental occupies 6 years. Mrs. Avantikabai Gokhale, who presided, highly commended the work of the institution.

FACTS speak plainer than WORDS

When one of his Goats strayed from the herd, the Goatherd in temper threw a stone, breaking off one of the Goat's horns. Alarmed, he begged the Goat not to tell his master. To which the Goat replied, "Oh, foolish one, my horn will tell the story though I say not a word." AESOP'S FABLES

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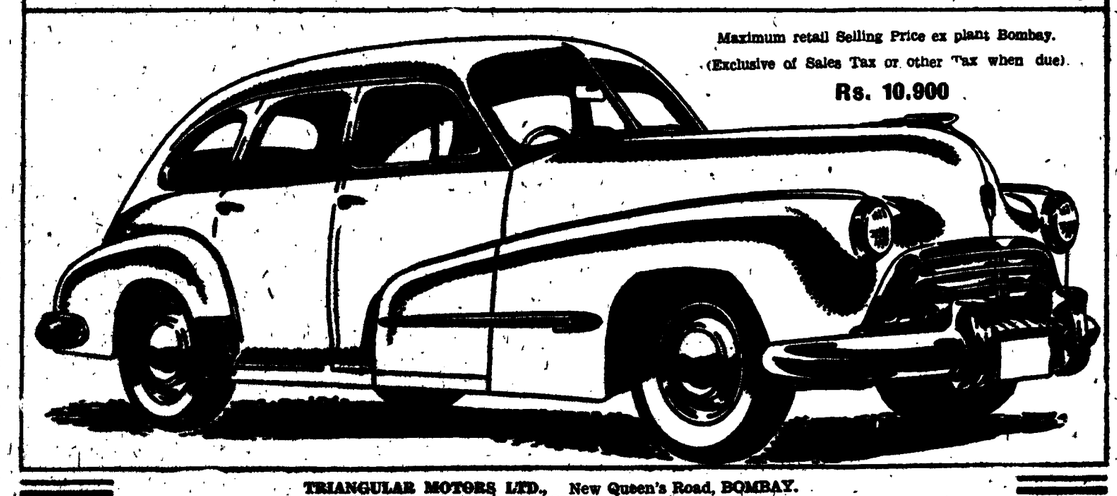

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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, Jan. 19, (A. P. I.): Following is the daily weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during the past 24 hours from 1st Nov. 1946 and departure from normal recorded at 8 hours (I. S. T.), on 19th January, 1917:—

Ahmedabad 81 52 0 1.1 plus 0.9, Ahmednagar 84 48 0 10.4 plus 8.8, Allahabad 76 45 0 1.5 plus 0.3, Bangalore 81 62 0 8.6 plus 5.3, Baroda 83 43 0 1.1 nil, Belgaum 82 55 0 6.1 plus 4.1, BOMBAY 81 62 0 7.1 plus 6.4, Calcutta 79 55 0 1.8 plus 0.7, Colombo 87 71 0 27.5 plus 17.0, Cuttack 87 62 0 2.3 plus 1.4, Darjeeling 48 33 0 1.0 minus 0.3, Dehra Dun 63 40 0 2.2 minus 0.1, Delhi 68 38 0 0.5 minus 0.4, Hyderabad (Dn.) 86 62 0 2.5 plus 0.9 Karachi 76 59 0 0 minus 0.5, Lahore nil, Lucknow 73 41 2.0 plus 1.1, Madras 83 70 0 52.6 plus 32.2, Mahabaleshwar 71 56 0 11.6 plus 9.7, Mysore 84 66 0 10.4 plus 7.2, Nagpur 86 60 0 7.4 plus 6.0, Ootacamund 70 42 0 16.7 plus 7.7, Pachmarhi 71 50 0 13.1 plus 11.5, Patna 71 55 0 0.6 minus 0.2, Peshawar 62 37 0 1.7 nil, Poona 85 47 0 6.5 plus 5.2, Quetta 46 25 0 3.1 plus 0.8, Rajkot 81 47 0 1.1 plus 0.8, Rawalpindi 64 36 0 3.8 plus 1.2, Shillong 59 36 0.8 minus 1.4, Sholapur 89 60 0 2.4 plus 0.6, Simla 40 31 0.1 3.9 plus 0.9, Surat 85 52 0 7.5 plus 7.1.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Kindness is the music of goodwill to men and on this harp the smallest fingers may play Heaven's sweetest tunes on earth.

—Drummond

The Bombay Chronicle

C. A. & THE LEAGUE

It is regrettable that the second session of the Constituent Assembly, which opens to-day, will, like the first, be unattended by the representatives of the Muslim League. Considering that the Congress accepted, in spite of much opposition, the British Government's supplementary statement of December 6 only to make it easier for the League to join the Assembly, the League might well have responded promptly to the gesture. Instead the League's Working Committee is meeting at the fag end of the month and of the present session of the Assembly; so that even if the Committee decides to call an urgent meeting of the League Council to reconsider its decision to boycott the Assembly, it will not be possible for the League representatives to join it as the present session must be concluded before the 3rd of February, when the Budget session of the Central Legislative Assembly is due to commence. The League's non-co-operation and dilatory tactics will do more harm to itself and the Muslims than to others.

Meanwhile many reports suggest that Lord Wavell and the British Government in general are satisfied that Congress has accepted the statement of December 6. If they are not they ought not only to say so but also remind Congress that under the State Paper of May 16, it cannot remain in the Interim Government without accepting it, as interpreted by the later statement; this rule, of course, applying to every party. However, it is generally believed that Lord Wavell has already informed several representatives of the League not only that he is satisfied about Congress having accepted this statement but also all its implications. That probably explains why the League nominee on the Interim Government, Mr. Jogendra Nath Mandal has boldly suggested in public that "after the acceptance of H.M.G.'s statement of December 6 the Muslim League should co-operate in the proceedings of the Assembly".

The League will certainly have to come into the Constituent Assembly but it will probably come in just at the time of the meeting of the Sections. Meanwhile the important work of the present session cannot be unduly delayed on account of the League's absence. It is, however, gratifying to learn that Congress, while proceeding with necessary work, will always keep the door open for the League to enter. Thus important committees like the Steering Committee and the Advisory Committee on Minorities will be formed forthwith but the due number of seats will be left vacant for the League. It also appears that Pandit Nehru's resolution on Objectives may be voted upon but that the President will make it clear that if the League representatives coming in later so wish, the resolution will be reconsidered. In any case the League will not be able to hold up indefinitely the work of the Assembly, and it will be well for the League to realise that fact. Its present attitude has neither dignity nor any other merit to support it.

NATIONAL CULTURE

While adopting a proposal to establish a National Cultural Trust to stimulate and co-ordinate the cultural activities in the country, the Central Advisory Board of Education has taken a momentous decision at its meeting held recently in Bombay. The Board envisages the foundation of an institution which should be the pride of India at a time when she is on the verge of achieving independence. The success of the Trust, whose scheme is adumbrated in the proposal, will depend upon the abilities and competency of the trustees and upon the efficiency of the machinery through which the Trust would operate. Such a trust should be founded on the basis of representation to the important provinces and states and to the various interests which it will be invited to protect and promote. If intended to be national in constitution, it should not be dominated by a few influential individuals. The Government of India should lay down definite principles regarding the eligibility, especially of the non-official element and should find out, irrespective of caste, creed or political affiliations, really capable persons among whom should be included recognised exponents of the various arts.

The academies which will be founded under the auspices of the Trust should be thoroughly democratic institutions and not parlour-maids of a few societies or influential groups. They should proceed with their programmes after formulating high standards for the arts allocated to the respective provinces and should, on no account, allow themselves to be distracted by the current sophisticated trends which are boosted in interested quarters as renaissance. Haphazard revivalism should not end in soulless academism and ring the death-knell of the high technique of arts like music and dance. Since emphasis is laid on "the preservation and development of traditional Indian culture", the academics must have, at the helm of their affairs, the right authorities—the best exponents and life-time votaries—who have hitherto kept alive the classic tradition as a sacred trust. The question will arise as to where to make a beginning from. Rightly speaking, Indian arts should resume their progress from the point at which it was arrested with the loss of freedom. The Trust should adopt an unbiassed attitude towards every phase of Indian art and should estimate the practical importance, as a basic capital, of the pattern of the national culture of the pre-British age. It should claim and bring, under its wing, the neglected material which is a magnificent product of the re-efflorescence of India's poetic, musical and artistic genius and a symbol of the cultural unity achieved by her in the late mediaeval age. It should direct the academies to resort, as one of their immediate functions, to the recording of the high technique of music and dance of all the classical schools and should bring within its own ambit folk art and culture also. The conception of a National Cultural Trust should prompt India to evolve a scheme of erecting, national memorials to the great celebrities, including those of the past missed by her so far, and to demand, from foreign countries, the art and cultural treasure lost by her during the dark periods of her political history.

Whether a trust is established or not, Indian Arts should no longer remain in the stage of an archeological interest or a luxury of the well-to-do. They should re-emerge as a vital and daily requirement of the people. Education should be made to embrace its aesthetic element in order to create the interest of students—the future citizens—in Indian arts. Apart from the gradual cultivation of the ground with educational means, art of the right type should be regularly provided to the people through various channels especially architecture, industrial designs and the mechanical agencies like the radio and film. Indian art will not fail to reflect the spirit of the age and contribute to the progress of the people when it is imported and deeply implanted in their life. We relevantly invite the attention of the Government to a few disappointing incidents. The paintings for the exhibition held at Paris on the occasion of the UNESCO Conference were selected without any definite standard and were collected without any system. Again invidious distinctions were made among the artists in the matter of publicity. The Government of India has lent active support to the exhibition of Indian art which the Royal Academy proposes to organise in London at the end of this year, but so far no detailed statement is issued as regards the scheme and scope of the exhibition and the basis on which a committee, said to be functioning in India, is appointed. And now a single society is reported to have arrogated to itself the leadership in organising the Indian section of the exhibition of the contemporary art of the different Asiatic countries. We wonder why such irregularities should occur under the eye of a popular Government at the Centre. The Government of India ought to have an interim plan for the day to day administration of art as long as some efficient machinery is not set in motion.

Frankly Speaking

Politics And Social Contact

The advice which Gandhiji gave on Saturday to women in India applies with equal force to men. "What happened in Noakhali", Gandhiji, said addressing a meeting of women, was God's curse, not only for Bengal but for the whole of India and it was high time that our whole outlook should be changed." After urging that Hindu women should give up the habit of differentiating between high and low and between caste and caste and should move with all women on a basis of equality, he particularly advised Hindu women to mix freely with their Muslim sisters. As he said, if women of both communities had been on terms of friendship, much of the unfortunate happenings in Noakhali could have been prevented. We may add that if similar friendship had existed in Calcutta, Bihar, Bombay and other places. The latter, too, would have been saved much of the bloodshed and misery which fell to their lot recently. In fact, not the least potent cause of the communal bitterness that has grown from bad to worse during the last decade has been the dwindling social contact between members of the two major communities. And in this respect, the most prominent leaders, with very few exceptions, born of the Congress and the League, who should have set an example to their followers have been the worst offenders. What is wrong with many of us, indeed, is that we take to politics so seriously that we allow our political differences to make us forget our duties as Indians and human beings to mix freely and on the friendliest terms with our political opponents in various fields of non-political activity.

Indo-China's Call

According to a United Press of America message from Hongkong the Viet Nam News Service released on Saturday a statement by Ho Chi Minh, President of Viet Nam, calling on all Asiatic people's to rally to Viet Nam. The appeal is not necessary because there is no Asiatic country which does not sympathize with the Viet Namese, who are determined to fight to the bitter end for their liberty against the French who, as the statement issued by President Ho Chi Minh says, are seeking to destroy 'the great Asiatic family' to which Viet Nam belongs. President Ho Chi Minh predicts uprisings in Algeria, Tunisia, Morocco, Madagascar and other French colonies in support of Viet Nam's struggle for freedom. It will not be surprising if the prediction proves to be true, for, apart from sympathising with their exploited brethren in Indo-China, the Arabs of Algeria, Tunisia and Morocco and the people of the French colonies themselves resent French domination and are equally determined to be free and independent. The Fourth French Republic has just been ushered in and a socialist M. Vincent Auriol has been elected its first President with the joint votes of the Communists and Socialists. But the Fourth Republic, it appears, has no more cheering message then its predecessors had for the peoples of Asiatic and African countries who groan under French imperialist rule. French imperialism, like any other imperialism, must be ended if the professions of those who waged the last great war and restored freedom to France are not to prove a mockery of all that is just and fair.

Co-operation & Newspaper Enterprize

The growth of what is described as a chain of newspapers controlled by a few capitalists has become a menace to the independence of the journalistic profession. In Britain the Labour Cabinet has agreed to appoint a commission of enquiry to make suitable recommendations to deal with the menace. In our own country also the danger exists. Mr. Deogirikar, presiding over the Marathi Journalists' Conference at Dhulia on Saturday, suggested the organization of newspaper co-operative societies "to combat the possible onslaught of capitalism on the Fourth Estate" He himself was doubtful whether this idea would be acceptable to many, but he thought that this was the only way to meet the threat of capitalists which loomed large at present. The Co-operatives in England own and control a leading newspaper and co-operative control is certainly one of the effective means of maintaining the independence of the Press and the journalistic profession, but the control must be based on genuine co-operative principles and not on spurious imitations of such principles.

Our Readers' Views

Found, A Wrist Watch

Sir,—I have found a lady's wrist watch from the Fort area on Mayo Road and I wish to hand it over to the owner. Will you please publish in your paper to take the watch from the following address:—

MARKANDRAI I. BAXI,
Elavia Bldg. Room No. 94/95,
Lady Hardinge Road,
Matunga (B.B. & C.I.).

Lost

Sir,—Will any passenger who was a fellow traveller of the 19 hrs. up local train from Kalyan on the 5th instant be kind enough to return my Sandow lever wrist watch and Rs. 15 lost by me during a scuffle between a groundnut vendor and myself, when I intervened on behalf of a poor Gujarati woman who was insulted in very vulgar language by the vendor. The watch and money were lost during the scuffle and I write this in the hope that they may have been picked up by any gentleman in the train and not able to return them to the owner for want of address.

A. N. KRISHNASWAMI.
21, Park View Station Road,
Matunga, Bombay 19.

Has War Terminated?

Sir,—There are large amounts of money to be returned or re-paid on the "termination of the "war" and there, also, contracts to be fulfilled on the "termination of the "war". These amounts are not returned or re-paid and the contracts are not fulfilled, because, it is said, the WAR HAS ENDED and NOT TERMINATED.

Would any of your readers, particularly members of the law, throw light on the terms "end" and "termination" with reference to law.

GULAMHUSEIN P. MERCHANT,
"Moledina House"
144, Samuel Street.

Pakistan

Sir,—I much appreciate the reasonable statement of Mr. Abdul Gani, published in the "Bombay Chronicle" of the 31st Dec. 1946.

The problem of 'Pakistan' and the acute circumstance which will crop up thereby in the Provinces have been explicitly analysed by him. I hope every sensible man and a man of national attributes, will realise it thoroughly and do the needful accordingly. The vital view of every Indian, irrespective of caste and creed, should be to achieve the independence, but not to render the way of independence thorny and inaccessible by the process of unnecessary division.

JAGDISH CH. SAHA.
Jaina, 6-1-47.

Mahatma Takes Jinnah At His Word

Says, If Pakistan Is Established By Sterling Qualities Everybody Will Welcome It

BADALKOTE (Noakhali), January 18. (A.P.I.): If Pakistan was going to be established by the sterling qualities of character, everybody would welcome such a state, no matter by what name it was called, Mahatma Gandhi said here today during his after prayer speech.

At Parkote on the seventh morning Mahatma Gandhi had read a speech delivered by Mr. Jinnah on the occasion of the foundation-laying ceremony of a Girls' High School in Karachi by his sister Miss Fatima Jinnah.

During his after-prayer speech today Mahatma Gandhi translated a portion of that speech in which Mr. Jinnah is reported to have said that Muslims should develop a high sense of responsibility, justice and integrity.

What Jinnah Said

Mr. Jinnah was also reported to have said that wrong was not to be imitated. If after consulting one's conscience, one felt that a contemplated action was wrong, one should never do it, irrespective of any consideration or influence. If people acted up to this no one would be able to prevent them from attaining Pakistan.

Mahatma Gandhi said that as there was no question of force here and as Pakistan was going to be established by the sterling qualities of character, everybody would welcome such a state, no matter by what name it was called.

No one could agree, he said, that loot, arson or forcible conversion, no matter where committed, could ever be supported by the awakened conscience of man.

ARRIVAL AT BADALKOT

Mahatma Gandhi arrived at the village of Badalkot at 8-15 this morning.

Leaving Purkot village, Mahatma Gandhi walked barefoot through the paddy fields. He halted on the way at the village of Ramdebpur (not the same village which he visited on January 16). Mohammed Bhaya, a Muslim gentleman of the village was introduced to Mahatma Gandhi as the man who had repaired the whole pathway through which Mahatma Gandhi had passed. Mahatma Gandhi said: "God will bless you."

Badalkot is a small village and Mahatma Gandhi's visit here is considered a midway halt for the sake of rest. He has no programme here.

Badalkot is in the centre of four contiguous villages, the other three being Megha, Ramdebpur and Makrarchak.

Mahatma Gandhi's next halt, the fourteenth village in his itinerary, is Atakhora to which place he will walk tomorrow morning.

Mahatma Gandhi's host at Badalkot is Jadhav Chandra Majumdar and in Atakhora he will stay in the house of Mr. Kamini Sarma.

On arrival here Mahatma Gandhi was presented as usual with statistics and other details concerning this area.

New Programme

Two new villages have been added to the schedule of Mahatma Gandhi's walking tour, namely, Rezkpur and Kamalpur.

Mohammedpur and Hasnabad in Tipperah district, have been omitted from the original programme.

The following is the latest programme of the tour:

Atakhora January 19, Sirondhi 20, Kethuri 21, Paniala 22, Dalla 23, Muraim 24, Rezakpur 25, Kamalpur 26, Palla 27, Panchgaon 28, Joyag 29, Amki 30, Nabogram 31, Amishapara February 1, Satgharia 2, and Sadhurkhil February 3.

Inquiries About Hazara

On receipt of a telegram from Peshawar this week reporting to him the recent occurrences in Hazara district, Mahatma Gandhi sent telegrams to certain addresses. He received replies from Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel confirming that several serious incidents had taken place in Hazara district. They informed Mahatma Gandhi that the Frontier Government had taken strong action against the miscreants and that help was being rushed for the refugees. The telegrams also informed Mahatma Gandhi that the situation in the affected district was now quiet.

Muslim Villagers Recover Looted Property

At the request of one Mohamed Araf Bhuyan Gandhiji halted at his house which was beautifully decorated to receive him. Gandhiji sat on a high platform which was specially arranged by the Muslims for him. Mrs. Kanu Gandhi was sent by him to contact the ladies of the house.

In the course of a talk with the United Press of India representative, one prominent Muslim villager said that it was their duty to see that Gandhiji's peace mission was successful. "Let us forget all that had happened", he observed. He also added that he and other villagers had promised to give protection to the life and property of the Hindu minorities. The Muslim villagers recovered some of the looted properties from various places, even from deep ponds with their own efforts and returned them to the Hindus.

"Meeting Sword By Sword Is No Good"

PARKOTE (Noakhali), Jan. 17 (A. P. I.): "The sword can be met by the sword but that will lead to nothing", said Mahatma Gandhi addressing a gathering of volunteers of the Gram Seva Sangh here this afternoon.

The volunteers, 42 in number, had come to see Mahatma Gandhi and to seek his advice.

Mahatma Gandhi said: "Remain non-violent and harbour no fear. If everyone of you shed fear, then the 42 of you will be as strong as 4,200".

INDIVIDUAL VS. GROUPS

After the talk Mahatma Gandhi asked the volunteers whether they were free from fear. One of the volunteers replying said they felt no fear—but only when all 42 of them were together.

That meant that each of them was still possessed by fear, which meant that all of them had fear, said Mahatma Gandhi. He added: "Volunteers should have no fear even individually. Whatever may happen they should never bow down their heads and succumb to fear and dishonour.

Mahatma Gandhi asked the volunteers to engage themselves in work beneficial to the village. They should mix with the Muslims as brothers and friends.

LATHI WON'T HELP

Mahatma Gandhi deprecated the taking up of the Lathi as a reply to the Lathi and said this would never solve the problem. "You cannot defeat anyone with the help of lathi but only with love," Mahatma Gandhi said.

When the volunteers asked Mahatma Gandhi to give them their blessings, Mahatma Gandhi said, "you have my blessings, but only if you follow my advice".

Advice To Hindu Women To Mix With Muslim Sisters

What had happened in Noakhali was god's curse, not only for Bengal but for the whole of India, and it was high time that our outlook should be changed, said Mahatma Gandhi, addressing a gathering of women here this afternoon.

Mahatma Gandhi said that Hindu women should give up the habit of differentiating between high and low and between caste and caste. They should move with all women on a basis of quality. In particular, Mahatma Gandhi advised Hindu women to mix freely with their Muslim sisters. If women of both communities had been on terms of friendship and if Hindu women were in close touch with their Muslim sisters, much of the unfortunate happenings in Noakhali could have been prevented, Mahatma Gandhi said.

Mahatma Gandhi also advised women in the villages not to waste any of their spare time but to take to spinning and other subsidiary work such as keeping their villages clean and the water in their tanks pure.

Mahatma Gandhi also said that his advice to the Hindu women applied to the men also and they should move as friends among the Muslims. By friendly contact misunderstandings were cleared and chances of quarrels were eliminated.

MUSLIMS WATCH MAHATMA'S PRAYER

Mahatma Gandhi held his prayer meeting this evening in a paddy field in the village of Jamirtoli, about a mile from his hut here. A large number of Muslims stood on the edge of the field watching the prayer. Mahatma Gandhi invited them to join the meeting and they came and sat down and heard the prayer songs and Mahatma Gandhi's post-prayer address.

After the prayer, Mahatma Gandhi visited two Hindu houses in a nearby village, in one of which he was requested to install the family's deity in their shrine. Mahatma Gandhi said that uttering the name of God with one's whole heart was more important than installing a picture of God.

Mahatma Gandhi also visited a neighbouring Muslim house.

Sardar Niranjan Singh Gill joined today's prayer meeting and accompanied Mahatma Gandhi in his evening walk.

SECRET OF PEACE AND UNITY

BADOLKOTE (Noakhali), Jan. 19 (U.P.I.): During the post-prayer speech yesterday, Gandhiji translated a portion of the speech delivered by Mr. Jinnah, on the occasion of the foundation-laying ceremony of a girls' school in Karachi by his sister, Miss Fatima Jinnah and said that Muslims should develop a high sense of responsibility, justice and integrity; that wrong was not to be imitated and that if after consulting one's conscience one felt that a contemplated action was wrong one should never do it, irrespective of any consideration or influence. Mr. Jinnah was also reported to have said that if people acted upto this rule, no one would be able to prevent them from attaining 'Pakistan.' Gandhiji remarked that there was no question of force here and if 'Pakistan' was going to be established by the sterling qualities of character, everybody would welcome such a State, no matter by what name it was called.

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PEACE & UNITY THROUGH EDUCATION

Referring again to the fact that it was a celebration in connection with a girls' school and that Mr. Jinnah had advised the Education Minister of Sind to launch a determined drive against illiteracy, Gandhiji said that in this lay the secret of future peace and unity. Literary education by itself, he added, did not carry one far, for there never had been any dearth of literary men having taken a wrong course of life. What was needed, he continued, was education for life. Man and woman, he observed, were two limbs of the social body and if one limb was atrophied, the whole body would suffer the consequences. It was, therefore, very unfortunate, he concluded that our sisters should be left in darkness and ignorance.

SIKH VOLUNTEERS FOR GANDHIJI'S PEACE MISSION

BADALKOTE (Noakhali), Jan. 18 (A.P.I.): Col. Niranjan Singh Gill and Col. Jiwansingh of the I.N.A. had a long talk with Mahatma Gandhi today on the subject of Sikh volunteers doing work with Mahatma Gandhi's Peace Mission in the Noakhali Villages.

Col. Niranjan Singh told pressmen that Mahatma Gandhi had approved his plan that Sikh workers, including some Sikh women, should be distributed in different villages where they could work for peace between the communities. The Sikh workers would have Bengali interpreters of their own.

Col. Gill is leaving for Calcutta today to meet the Bengal Premier, Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy and to apprise him of this arrangement. Gandhiji's visitors today included Dr. Amiya Chakrabarty of Calcutta University, Dr. N. K. De Sarkar and Mrs. Nirupama Devi of Tripura.

Dr. Chakrabarty arrived here in connection with his recent visit to the Sandwip islands and also to see Miss Amtus Salam.

Mrs. Sucheta Kripalani, wife of the Congress President, arrived at Badalkote this evening. She had been called by Mahatma Gandhi to see him before she left for Delhi.

TÊTE-À-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT

General Dwight Eisenhower, Chief of the United States Army, told a meeting of army and industrial leaders in Chicago: "We cannot permit complacency or an "atomic bomb mentality"—a possible modern counterpart of the "Maginot line mentality"—to lull us into another post-war apathy. "Integration of our national economy into an effective security machine must be accomplished—in thought and in plan—before an emergency occurs.

—American Report.

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Shariar gives line clear to Cheribon Fast.

—Headline.

Of course the line is clear. But let Shariar beware of the hook at the end?

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Mr. James F. Byrnes, the U. S. Secretary of State is due to sign all except the Finnish treaty on Jan. 20, probably his last official act before yielding his office to General George C. Marshall. Mr. Byrnes will not sign the Finnish treaty because the United States was not at war with that country.

—News Item.

FINS! But not Finnish!

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A threat of locust invasion to India from the west is held out due to intense locust activity in East Africa.

Too late! The local profiteers have already polished off all the crops.

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"The Muslim League, in my opinion, should now decide to enter the Constituent Assembly and co-operate with the Congress in the task of framing the future constitution of a free and independent India," said Mr. J. N. Mandal, Law Member, Interim Government, in an interview.

ET TU BRUTE!

What high heresy towards the all-highest Fuehrer—we shudder to think!

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His Holiness the Shankaracharya of Jyotir Math, who is one of the chief figures of the present Maha-Chandi Yagna in Bombay, said in a press interview: "We are criticised for sacrificing a little ghee to the gods. But what of those men who eat up a whole cow and no questions asked?"

Nothing is dumber than a dead cow. How can she ask any questions?

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Here is an interesting incident that took place at the Indian Science Congress, as reported in the "Hindusthan Standard" of Calcutta. A journalist interviewing one of the Russian delegates who speaks Hindustani along with other oriental languages asked him:

Hamen bara afsos hoos heh ap Congress kay inaugural session pei in time nahin pohnch sakay.

(We are sorry you could not reach in time for the inaugural session).

And the Russian scientist replied:

Mauf keejiyo, men angrezi nahin janta, 'inaugural session' aur "in time" ka kya murad?

(Excuse me I know no English. What do you mean by "inaugural session" and "in time".)

A good joke!

We are sure our distinguished Russian guests will enjoy this joke when (and if) they hear it!

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Gaol Visitor: "My friend, have you any religious conviction?"

Prisoner: "Well, I reckon that's the right word. I was sent here for robbing a church."

Labour Member Back From Bengal Tour

NEW DELHI, Jan. 19, (API): Mr. Jagjiwan Ram, Labour Member, Government of India has returned to Delhi by air this evening after the completion of his East Bengal tour.

India's Toil Helped Pile Up Sterling Balances

How Sale Of U.S. And U.K. Gold Will Enhance Assets

The moving story of the circumstances which led to the piling up of India's Sterling Balances to astronomical heights is continued below, the first part of the same having appeared in our issue of Saturday last.

Under Section 41 of the Reserve Bank of India Act 1934, the Reserve Bank is obliged to issue rupees in India unlimitedly in exchange for sterling deposited to its credit at the Bank of England at the rate of 18 3/16 d. per rupee.

Section 41 of the Reserve Bank of India Act 1934 is:

Section 41: Obligation to buy sterling:

The Bank shall buy, from any person who makes a demand in that behalf at its office in Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi, Madras or Rangoon sterling for immediate delivery in London, at a rate not higher than one shilling and six pence and three sixteenths of a penny for a rupee;

Provided that no person shall be entitled to demand to sell an amount of sterling less than ten thousand pounds;

Provided further that no person shall be entitled to receive payment unless the Bank is satisfied that payment of the sterling in London has been made.

Section 33 of the Act lays down the amount of sterling securities and bullion which the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank should hold against its liabilities:

Of the total amount of assets not less than two-fifths shall consist of gold coin, gold bullion or sterling securities. The latest position—Reserve Bank Statement of December 20, 1946:

Gold coin and bullion held by the Reserve Bank: total 44.41 crores of Rs.

The sterling securities 1,135.32 crores of Rs.

USE OF BALANCES TO REPATRIATE INDIA'S EXTERNAL OBLIGATIONS:

(a) Since the beginning of the war, a portion of India's sterling credit has been used to repay her external debt as follows:—

(i) Sterling amounts involved in repatriation of India's debt:

	(In crores of Rs.)
1939-40	22
1940-41	89
1941-42	110
1942-43	162
1943-44	16
1944-45	1
Total	400

(ii) Settlement of non-effective charges:

A lump sum of Rs. 20 crores was paid to H. M. G. in 1944-45 in settlement of these charges.

U. K. AND U. S. A.'S SALE OF GOLD

(b) Another way in which a portion of the sterling balances has been used up was the sale of gold by the Governments of the U. K. and U. S. A. to meet their war expenditure in India. The figures are:

	Gold (in million fine ounces)
1943-44	3.4
1944-45	3.2
1945-46	.9

STERLING BALANCES AND DOLLAR POOL

The Empire Dollar Pool came into existence during the war owing to the difficulty in securing the convertibility of sterling. It was customary before the war for a large number of countries (generally referred to as the "sterling bloc") to hold all or almost all their foreign exchange balances in London in the form of sterling. Sterling was then freely convertible into other currencies and therefore countries which held sterling balances could convert them at will into any currency which they happened to need for fulfilling their international obligations. With the outbreak of the war and the increasing difficulty thereby caused in securing the convertibility of sterling, this system assumed a degree of rigidity which had not been previously contemplated. Those members of the "sterling bloc" who continued to be members of what is now known as the "sterling area" forewent their right to hold foreign exchange in their own custody and agreed to impose restrictions on the expenditure of foreign exchange in order to ensure that the limited resources of the sterling area of foreign currencies were utilised to the best advantage in the prosecution of the war. The whole of the sterling area's holdings of foreign exchange were held in one pool in the custody of the Bank of England and the British Treasury. As the United States dollar was the most important foreign currency in this Pool this whole arrangement came to be known as the Empire Dollar Pool instead of the Sterling Area Pool of Foreign Exchange which more correctly describes it.

DOLLAR EARNINGS AND EXPENDITURE

(Figures since beginning of war to March 31, 1946)

India's earnings of U. S Dollars Rs. 405 crores.

India's expenditure of U. S dollars Rs. 295 crores.

India's expenditure of hard currencies over and above her earnings which came out of the Dollar Pool Rs. 51 crores.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Arms Dropped From Air In Burmese Districts

Aung San Party Leader Fears Clash With Karens: Appeal For United Stand

London Talks Report Repudiated In Britain

RANGOON, January 19. (A.P.A.): Thakin Nu, Acting President of the Anti-Fascist Peoples Freedom League, claimed here today that "certain people" have been dropping arms and ammunition from air among the Karens living in the Pegu, Tavoy and other districts of Burma.

He told a press conference that the inhabitants of the area feared that discord might arise between the Burmese and the Karens there.

APPEAL FOR UNITY

Thakin Nu appealed for unity in the country, pointing out that there was no reason for quarrel between Communists, A.F.P.F.L. and other parties which share the same views and objects.

Stating that the Burmese people should be on guard against British "Divide and Rule" tactics, Thakin Nu disclosed that he had received information from reliable sources that "certain People" had been dropping arms and ammunition from the air in Pegu, Pyapon, Tavoy and Mergui districts. Thakin Nu added that though the Burmese did not distrust the Karens in those areas, they nevertheless feared trouble might arise because of the dropping of those arms. The A.F.P.F.L. was, therefore, sending representatives in those areas to work for Burmese-Karen unity.

LONDON TALKS REPORT REPUDIATED

LONDON, Jan. 19. (Reuter): British official quarters to-day categorically repudiated a report circulated by an American news agency in India to the effect that "except for fixing the actual date of Burma's independence, it may be said that the British Government has already met the Burmese demands", cables Fraser Wighton, Reuters' political correspondent.

"FANTASTIC NONSENSE",

The London political world characterised the report as "fantastic nonsense".

A Downing Street spokesman, on behalf of the British Government, denying the report, pointed out that constitutional talks between the Burmese leaders now in London and the British Cabinet were still only in their preliminary stages.

In an endeavour to safeguard the delicate negotiations from prejudice, official quarters have maintained almost continuous silence upon their progress. The report has aroused widespread resentment, therefore, as placing the picture in an entirely false light.

The truth, as those following the situation closely know, is that the conversations are going very slowly. That is not to say that there is any hint of a breakdown or indeed of failure, but there is nothing whatever at the moment to justify any speculation one way or the other as to the outcome.

ROUND TABLE TALKS

Burmese leaders arrived in London approximately ten days ago. In the whole of that period they have had less than four hours of conversation with the British Prime Minister and Cabinet members round the table in Downing Street. The British Government had planned five Round Table conversations for the week—one on Tuesday, one on Wednesday, one on Thursday and two on Friday. Only two of these took place—a short meeting on Wednesday and a slightly longer one on Thursday.

It is understood that the Burmese Delegation which after all represents more than one section of Burmese political opinion, on arrival at Downing Street at Tuesday's meeting informed the Prime Minister Mr. Attlee that it was not quite ready to proceed.

BURMESE LEADERS DISCUSS

No official explanation was offered either by the leaders or the government, but it was generally believed that the Burmese wished to discuss further among themselves the terms of their own voluminous memorandum of demands which U Saw, the pre-invasion Prime Minister of Burma, who arrived after the other delegates and had not the same opportunity as the others of studying.

Whatever the cause, it is known that the Burmese leaders at their hotel held a long meeting last Monday evening, Tuesday morning and immediately after the abortive Downing Street Tuesday afternoon engagement until two next morning with breaks only for meals.

EVIDENCE OF AGREEMENT

If any difference of view had existed among the delegates on their memorandum—and this is not admitted there—there was evidently agreement to go forward on Wednesday when the leaders met under Mr. Attlee's chairmanship with British Ministers at Downing Street.

The conversations were continued at Thursday's meeting after which it was learned that the two sessions fixed for Friday had been cancelled. An official announcement on Friday indicated that the conversations would be resumed next week.

The facts are now understood to be that in the past week the two Round Table meetings made a preliminary study of the Burmese memorandum without reaching any decisions. Additionally, the delegates held a number of individual consultations with British official quarters and personalities.

BURMA MEMORANDUM

Tomorrow the Conference will begin the major task of tackling big issues of the Burmese memorandum point by point with the idea of reaching finality upon them in the course of the week or so.

The chief points are, it is understood, as follows: first, the question of setting up of a Constituent Assembly to create Burma's constitution and of reaching an agreement as to whether this should be done by direct election as the leaders have demanded, or by election under the 1935 Burma Constitution which the leaders have repeatedly condemned.

Secondly, the Burmese demand for an Interim Government with full powers by the end of the month to replace the present Governor's Executive Council. As the leaders see it the Executive Council should be entrusted forthwith with the powers of a Dominion Government with the Governor bound by the advice of his Executive Council in all matters and no longer under the control of the Secretary of State.

Thirdly, the question of representation of frontier areas in New Burma. The leaders have stated that they are anxious to see the people of these areas sharing immediately in the constitutional advance, and have proposed that frontier representatives should be associated forthwith with the work of the Executive Council in such a way as would retain for the frontier areas internal administrative autonomy.

Other important points include the question of confining voting and candidature in the Constituent Assembly election to Burmese nationals, transfer of control of the Secretary of State's services to the Burma Government and British sponsorship of Burma's candidature for the United Nations.

ATMOSPHERE OF GOODWILL

Negotiations are taking place in an atmosphere of goodwill and there is no evidence of depression over their likely outcome. But the situation is by no means free of difficulties, some of them constitutional. None may prove a lasting obstruction to Burmese aims but some might entail delay especially if decisions taken involve fresh British legislation.

The leaders spent today at the country home of Sir Stafford and Lady Cripps and were hoping to have a conference among themselves tonight.

RECEPTION PARTY

They have two Downing Street meetings for conversations tomorrow with a Government lunch under the Prime Minister's chairmanship at Claridges Hotel and a reception in their honour at Lord Chancellor Lord Jowitt's residence in the evening. On Tuesday — on which day so far there is no Downing Street meeting—the delegates will be guests at an East India Association reception where Lord Scarborough, former India Under Secretary, will receive the guests and later will attend an India League Party. Two official meetings are planned for Wednesday as well as a House of Commons tea party and reception planned by parliamentary conservatives. There will be an India House reception with the High Commissioner, Sir Samuel Ranganadhan, as the host on Friday.

DEMANDS OF TRIBAL PEOPLE

Plea For Abolition Of Excluded And Partially Excluded Areas

NEW DELHI, Jan. 19, (API): A plea for the abolition of such classifications as Excluded and Partially Excluded areas was made by Mr. Devendranath Samanth in his presidential address to the All-India Excluded and Partially Excluded Areas Conference held here today.

Such distinctions, he said, were introduced by the British Government with the ulterior motive of creating division and had not done any good to the people concerned. He hoped that the framers of the new constitution would bring these areas under the ordinary law of the land. He pleaded for adequate representation of Adibasis in the Minorities Committee of the Constituent Assembly.

He urged the Central and Provincial Governments to take adequate measures to uplift the tribal people economically, socially and politically.

Mr. P. Kodandaramayya, Chairman of the Reception Committee, said: "I appeal to the members of the Constituent Assembly in the name of humanity to treat the tribal people on the same footing as others and thereby avoid the creation of another minority and another perpetual problem. Civilization and culture can be real only when they are not withheld from any one for the mere accident of birth in an area or community."

TWO KILLED IN CHANDPUR FIRING

Sequel To Altercation Between Local People And Police Party

CHANDPUR (Tipperah), Jan. 19, (A. P. I.). Two persons were killed and another was injured when the police fired, it is stated, in self-defence yesterday in a bazar in Char Bhairabi, about twelve miles from Chandpur.

It is reported that the trouble arose when some police constables who used to go to the bazar for marketing did not pay for certain articles that had been purchased. This led to an altercation between the local people and the police party, resulting subsequently in the police opening fire.

Gen. U. Aung San (2nd from left) leader and members of Burmese delegation, leaving No. 10 Downing Street, after discussions with Premier Clement Attlee.

NEGOTIATIONS WITH STATES

Jawahar's Move For Contact With People's Committee

NEW DELHI, Jan. 19, (API): Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru will move a resolution in the Constituent Assembly on Tuesday, January 21, empowering the States Committee of the Assembly to confer with, besides the Negotiating Committee, such persons or States for examining special problems.

The resolution reads: "This Assembly resolves that the Committee constituted by its resolution of December 21, 1946, (to confer with the Negotiating Committee set up by the Chamber of Princes and with other representatives of Indian States for certain specified purposes) shall in addition have power to confer with such persons as the Committee thinks fit for the purpose of examining the special problems of such territories or States as Bhutan or Sikkim and to report to the Assembly the result of such examination."

RECONSTITUTION OF PROVINCES ON LINGUISTIC BASIS

BEZWADA, Jan. 18 (API.) An amendment to the resolution of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru dealing with the fundamental objectives of the new constitution now before the Constituent Assembly so as to ensure the carving out of the new provinces in India on a linguistic and cultural basis was adopted at the general body meeting of the All-India League of Linguistic provinces held here yesterday. The meeting also appointed a delegation of three members to proceed to Delhi in this regard.

Mr. Konday Venkatappaya who presided over the meeting criticised the views of Sir B. N. Rao in this connection and exhorted the audience to work for the reconstitution of independent India on a linguistic basis.

The meeting unanimously elected Dr. M. Ruayakar as President of the League.

TRUMAN WARNS AGAINST RACIAL BIGOTRY IN U.S.A.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16. (Reuter): President Truman gave a warning yesterday against the return of racial bigotry and by organisations like Ku Klux Klan.

"Back in my home country of Jackson, Missouri in 1922, there was an organisation that met in the hills and burned wooden crosses and worked behind sheets", he told the "New Civil Rights" Committee which he has charged with investigating racial and religious discrimination.

"I do not want to see religious bigotry break out in this country as it did then", he added.

AZAD'S ASSURANCE TO DELHI TEACHERS

Strike To Be Called Off On Monday

NEW DELHI, Jan. 18 (API): The one-week old strike of the teachers of Delhi Province is expected to be called off on Monday following an assurance given to-day by Maulana Azad, Education Member, to a deputation of the teachers.

The deputation met Maulana Azad to-day and placed before him their grievances and demands for increased scales of pay. Maulana Azad assured the deputation that Government would give most sympathetic consideration to the teachers case and suggested to them to end the strike immediately. The deputation is reported to have agreed to the suggestion which they will place before the general body of Delhi Teachers to-morrow, and it is expected that the teachers will resume work on Monday.

Later:

NEW DELHI Jan. 19 (API): The Council of Action of the Delhi Provincial Teachers Association at its meeting tonight considered the assurances given to the teachers representatives by Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Education Member and decided to continue the strike but again wait on the Education Member for elucidation of certain points.

SIND GOVT. BANS CIVIC DONATION TO I. N. A. FUND

KARACHI, Jan. 19 (API): The Sind Government has refused to accord its approval to the resolution, passed by the Karachi Municipality, allowing a grant of Rs. 5,000 towards the I.N.A. fund.

All-Out French Offensive

Land, Sea And Air Operations To Relieve Besieged Garrison

HANOI, Jan. 19 (Reuter): A large scale French land, sea and air operation which started yesterday morning at dawn to relieve the besieged garrison at Hue about 450 miles north of Saigon on the Annam coast is "progressing in a satisfying manner", according to semi-official French reports here.

The troops yesterday advanced 15 miles along the railway leading to Hue. Foreign Legion elements and infantry succeeded in crossing the Mamo River with artillery support. Other French troops successfully occupied most of Col Des Nuages Mountain range.

Reports from the fighting area stated that Viet Nam resistance has so far been slight and easily overcome. The only French casualties yesterday were two soldiers killed in a debarkation accident and several wounded by enemy fire.

The garrison at Hue has enough food to last until the middle of February. In the last days of December a Medical Captain was parachuted into Hue and additional food, military and medical supplies are regularly dropped by parachute.

INSIDE HUE

French troops which are only one battalion strong are defending the French and Foreign population of Hue in a triangular area two miles a side south-east of the imperial citadel across the river from the main part of the town. The Clemenceau Bridge which connected this area to the town, has been destroyed and the garrison are reported to be under daily fire from two Viet Namese artillery pieces.

Information reaching French Headquarters at Tourane stated that French losses have been light so far and that the morale of the besieged troops and civilians is good.

Meanwhile other semi-official reports here stated today that the Consuls of China, Great Britain and the United States have still been unable to contact responsible Viet Nam authorities for negotiations over 200 French hostages captured by Viet Namese forces on December 19, the opening day of the fighting.

The Netherlands Dominican Father, Willigens, who is acting as a provisional delegate of the International Red Cross of Geneva, is awaiting the Viet Namese appointment of a representative for co-supervision of delivery of food and medical supplies to hostages, the reports added. Father Archimand, the official Red Cross delegate is expected to reach Hanoi shortly from Singapore.

An Associated Press of America says:

The Empress of Annam was reported to have taken refuge in the Canadian Mission which was liberated by French forces some days ago and Agency-France-Press said "it is believed that her children are with her."

News meanwhile reached France of the arrival in Indo-China of the French cruiser "Duquesne" carrying elements of the Twenty-fifth airborne division and war material.

In Paris, the Colonial Ministry issued a statement denying that the French Cabinet had decided to recall Admiral Georges Thierry D'Argenlieu, the French High Commissioner in Indo-China.

The statement explained that no decision concerning Indo-China could be taken before a new French Government which is to succeed that of Leon Blum is formed.

France-Press also reported from Hanoi that no news had reached the French authorities regarding the fate of 200 odd French hostages held by the Viet Namese since December 19. The dispatch said that the British, American and Chinese Consuls in Hanoi were still awaiting an answer from the Viet Nam Government to a proposal to negotiate the liberation or exchange of these hostages.

Indo-China Holds Up French Govt.

PARIS, Jan. 19 (Reuter): The main difficulty in the path of the projected French Coalition Government is to agree on a solution for the Indo-Chinese problem the independent conservative newspaper "France Libre" wrote this morning.

It added: "There is distinct opposition on this score between Communists and other parties".

More Powers For Bengal Govt.

Detention Of Persons And Trial Of Communal Riot Cases

CALCUTTA, Jan. 19 (A.P.I.): The Bengal Government has issued two ordinances, taking special powers firstly to detain without trial or otherwise place restrictions on the movements or activities of any person, and, secondly, to expedite the trial of communal riot cases in Calcutta, Howrah and the 24-Parganas.

Under the first ordinance, named the Bengal Special Powers Ordinance 1947, any man whom it is intended to prevent from acting in a prejudicial manner may have his liberty restricted in respect of his movements or association with other persons and in respect of his activities in relation to news or the propagation of opinion.

The ordinance also authorises the Government to requisition any property provided it is not property used for religious purposes.

The second ordinance provides for the setting up of Special Benches of Judges for the speedy trial of cases arising from the communal disturbances.

These two ordinances are the first of the new year.

Chinese Steamer Sinks

SHANGHAI, Jan. 19 (Reuter): The Harbour Police said today that only between 100 and 200 passengers of the 300-ton Chinese river steamer "Chihkiang", which sank off Woosung near the entrance of the Shanghai harbour in three hours after a collision with a tug yesterday, are now unaccounted for.

Earlier reports put the death roll at nearly 400.

The police said there was a possibility that many had managed to scramble ashore in darkness and make their way inland as the accident occurred near the beach off Woosung breakwater at the entrance to Shanghai harbour.

Most of the passengers, who seem to have numbered about 1,000 were working class people planning to spend their Chinese new year holidays (beginning on Wednesday) in their native villages.

300 KILLED IN SHIPWRECK

ATHENS, Jan. 19, (Reuter): Some 300 out of 600 passengers on board the liner "Chimarra" are reported to have been killed when the ship struck a mine near Rafina, between Attikea and Euboeia peninsula while on her way from Salonika to Piraeus, port of Athens.

While the "Chimarra" was blown up in the early hours of the morning, Government was informed only at 12.30 p.m. (Greek Time) when the crew of a Caique which assisted in rescue operations at the disaster reached Piraeus — three hours later.

The casualty figures so far are according to this source only.

According to the master of the Caique who gave casualty figures the liner has broken up and sunk.

The sea around the stricken ship, he declared, was "full of corpses and debris."

Among passengers were members of the party who had accompanied crown Prince Paul on his tour of Northern Greece and some Macedonian deputies.

A Greek destroyer and salvage craft have been despatched at full speed to the scene of disaster by naval authorities.

U. P. A. Report adds: The ship was reported to have been taken over recently by Greece as reparations from Germany and was engaged in coastal trading.

The Exchange Telegraph Agency reported from Athens that only 100 out of 600 aboard were rescued. It added that 40 survivors were brought to Athens for first aid treatment.

HELMERA: GREEK VESSEL'S NAME.

No vessel named Chimarra appears in the Lloyds Register of shipping. The register records a Greek Government vessel named "Helmera" of 1,221 tons registered by Piraeus.

Counsel Of Patience To Indian Workers

Remember That Govt. In Power Is Our Own, Says Asaf Ali

NEW DELHI, January 18. (A.P.I.): On the eve of his departure for America as India's first Ambassador, Mr. Asaf Ali, President of the Delhi Provincial Congress Committee was given a farewell address by Delhi Congress workers. He was garlanded on behalf of the District Congress committees.

Mr. Jugal Kishore Khanna, who read the address recalled Mr. Asaf Ali's services to Delhi and the country during the last 30 years of his public life.

In his reply Mr. Asaf Ali said that he was going to America with heavy responsibilities. Though he would be away, his heart would always be in Delhi. He had worked as their humble servant all these years. He could not foretell what woud be the fate of Delhi but could say with confidence that very soon this ancient city of Delhi would become a centre of free and independent India and the representatives of different free nations would have their embassies in this city.

FOUNDATIONS OF INDEPENDENCE

India, said Mr. Asaf Ali, would be free very shortly". The dark night has now ended and the dawn has appeared. The sun is on the horizon, but small clouds are still obstructing its rays." The British, who ruled over this country for about 150 years, he added, had now declared to the world that they had no moral justification to govern this country. India had laid the foundations of its independence. Its representatives were sitting in the Constituent Assembly to frame a constitution for a free Indian Republic.

COUNSEL OF PATIENCE

Referring to the problems facing the country Mr. Asaf Ali said that they in the Government were engaged in finding out resources for industrial development. He asked people to have patience and forebearance and give the Government ample time. He advised them not to put obstacles in the way of the Government by organising strikes. They must bear in mind that today it was not the foreign Government, but their own Government in power.

He advised Congress workers to do constructive work.

Mr. Asaf Ali said, America had representatives of 54 nations of the world. He was going to America with India's message of peace.

Delhi Villagers' Farewell To Asaf Ali

NEW DELHI, Jan. 19. (A.P.I.): A farewell address was given to Mr. Asaf Ali by the villagers of Delhi Province in Bawana village on the eve of his departure for U.S.A. as India's ambassador.

Replying to the address Mr. Asaf Ali said that India had reached the threshold of independence. He asked the villagers to have co-operative farming so that they could produce more food.

Lala Desh Bandhu Gupta and Mr. M. S. Randhawa, Deputy Commissioner, also addressed the villagers.

NEHRU'S ADVICE TO PSYCHOLOGISTS

Apply Study In Practice In Every Day Life

PATNA, Jan. 19 (A.P.I.): Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru opening the Institute of Psychological Research and Service of the Patna University, the first of its kind in India, said that he was convinced about the great importance of the study of psychology for practical life and that he had himself been a student of the subject for a long time. In view of the great role that psychology would play in the reconstruction of India he wished that by now there had been many such institutions in the country to help in the work of re-orientation of the attitude of the people to important problems of life. He was glad that the Patna University had given the lead in the matter by starting such an institute. He emphasised, however, that the days of study of psychologists should now go out for field work studying and applying psychology in practice in every day life.

Prof. H. P. Maiti, Director, took Pandit Nehru round the different sections of the Institute and showed him the psychological tests they were being used for giving psychological guidance to students as well as the tests that were being evolved by the department to be useda on school children.

Three Stabbed In City On Sunday

BOMBAY, Jan. 19. (A.P.I.): "Three stray knife attacks were reported on Sunday from Dadar, Lalbaug and Pydhoni areas. The last one was a case of mistaken identity", says a press note issued to-night by the Director of Publicity, Government of Bombay.

The press note adds; "Stonethrowing of a minor character occurred in Maharbourje and Lower Parel areas, while a restaurant was broken open in Lalbaug area. In all 43 arrests were made of whom ten were in connection with stabbing in Dadar area".

KHAN SAHEB ON HAZARA SITUATION

PESHAWAR, January 18. (A.P.I.): Dr. Khan Sahib, Premier of N. W. F. P returned to Peshawar after touring the Hazara district.

Expressing his opinion about the Hazara situation Dr. Khan Sahib said: "I have been to Abbottabad and after visiting certain places personally and discussing the situation with local officials I am convinced that the situation is now under control. Approachable areas have been examined and the loss estimated and people rescued. Some of the culprits have been arrested and steps are being taken to get hold of all ringleaders. People are feeling repentant and cooperating with the officials in creating a healthy atmosphere and communal harmony. But Malach area is still snow-bound and due to difficult conditions the exact loss of life and property cannot be estimated in that area. Relief has reached all places. Special officers have been appointed to investigate and advise the Government for quick rehabilitation and to create normal conditions. I am personally in touch with the work going on in Hazara and will request all friends and sympathisers not to be alarmed by false rumours. I assure them that the Frontier Government is doing its utmost in creating normal and healthy atmosphere in Hazara."

KHAN SAHEB THANKS BOMBAY FOR HAZARA RELIEF

PESHAWAR, Jan. 18 (U.P.I.): Dr. Khan Saheb, the Frontier Premier, has issued the following statement to the Press:

"I thank Mr. Amritlal Seth and his colleagues in Bombay for their humanitarian gesture in organising relief for refugees in this province. A representative of the Bombay Bazar Relief Committee has seen me and I agreed to set up a committee in Abbottabad for the purpose of disbursing remittances sent by Bombay. The fund, the Premier adds, will be exclusively used for rehabilitation of agriculturists displaced by the recent disturbances in Abbottabad tehsil."

Textile Talks Fail

Labour Representatives To Report To Union Executive

MADRAS, Jan. 18, (A. P. I.): No agreement was arrived at in the dispute between the Coimbatore textile mill workers and millowers after their two days discussions with the Prime Minister, Mr. T. Prakasam, Labour Minister, Mr. V. V. Giri, and other officers of the Labour department.

At the end of the discussions this evening, it is understood Mr. Prakasam made certain proposals as a 'way out' of the present situation. The representatives of workers said that they would place the matter shortly before the Labour Union Executive at Coimbatore for their decision.

Mr. K. Kamaraj Nadar, President of the Tamil Nad Provincial Congress Committee and Mr. R. Venkataraman, member of the Tamilnad Congress Labour sub-committee were also present during the discussions.

CAUSE OF DISPUTE.

The dispute is a sequel to the workers' demand for six months bonus as against the three months bonus recommended by the Adjudicator's Award and accepted by the management.

A notice of strike was served on the management which expired on January 12, but the strike was averted by the timely intervention of the Premier, Mr. T. Prakasam when both the workers and management agreed to discuss the matter at Madras on January 17 and postponed the strike.

The Textile Workers Union has a membership of about 38,000 in all comprising the 32 mills in Coimbatore.

CALCUTTA TRAMWAY-MEN TO STRIKE

Bengal Govt.'s Last Minute Efforts To Avert It

CALCUTTA, Jan. 19, (A. P. I.): Last minute efforts are being made by the Government of Bengal to avert the threatened strike of the workers of the Calcutta tramways, which, if it materialises on January 21 as intimated by the workers, would deprive nearly 3 million people of their daily means of conveyance in the city.

The workers' notice expires tomorrow and the Bengal Government had informed the Union that under the Defence of India Rules they had referred the dispute to adjudication and had called upon the workers to postpone the strike. This decision however was not acceptable to the Workers' Union, who rejected the adjudication proposal.

A number of conferences have been held in this connection for the last two days between the Labour Minister of Bengal, Mr. Shamsuddin Ahmed, and representatives of the Tramway Workers and the Company. The question is expected to be further discussed tomorrow at a general body meeting of the tramway workers.

A.I.C.C. RESOLUTION AMBIGUOUS

League Leader Asks For "Straight & Clear" Decision On Grouping

NEW DELHI, Jan. 19, (A. P. I.): Qazi Mohd. Isa, a member of the Muslim League Working Committee, addressing a meeting in Juma Masjid said today the A. I. C. C. resolution of Dec. 6 was ambiguous. Unless a straight and clear resolution on grouping was passed he thought that the League should not enter the Constituent Assembly.

PROF. MORDELL'S LECTURE: Under the auspices of the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research Prof. L. J. Mordell, F. R. S., of the University of Cambridge, will deliver a lecture on the "Geometry of Numbers" at 4 p.m., tomorrow (Monday), in the Physics Lecture Theatre of the Royal Institute of Science.

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GREEK CABINET CRISIS

Six Ministers Resign

ATHENS, Jan. 18 (Reuter): Six Ministers resigned from M. Constantin Tsaldaris' Greek Cabinet today.

The immediate reason for their resignations was the Prime Minister's refusal to ask the King to convoke the Council of the Crown to find a solution of the Cabinet crisis which has been latent since November.

Reuter adds:

The six ministers who resigned were:—

(1) Gen. Stylianos Gonatas (National Liberal Leader), Deputy Premier and Minister of Public Works; (2) M. Nicolas Avraam, (National Liberal), Minister of Merchant Marine; (3) M. Athanas Perotis (National Liberal), Minister of Posts and Telegraphs; (4) M. Demetrious Papidmitriou (National Liberal), Minister of Transport; (5) M. Apostolos Alexandris (Royalist Reformist Leader), Minister without portfolio, and (6) M. Athanasa Mihalacopoulos (Reformist) Minister of National Economy.

The resignations came after a call by M. Themistocles Sofoulis, the Greek Liberal Party leader, that the Cabinet should resign "leaving the King to deal according to the constitution and parliamentary rules."

M. Sofoulis was answering a public appeal made by M. Tsaldaris last night to Greek liberals to state by Monday if they were prepared to take part in a broadened Greek Government.

The National Liberals have 45 deputies in the present Greek Parliament.

M. Tsaldaris has indicated that he does not intend to resign until his cabinet has faced Parliament on Monday.

It was learned later today that M. Gonatas has summoned four other political leaders—M. Panyitis Canellopoulos, leader of National Unionists M. George Papandreou, leader of Republican Social Democrats, M. Sophocles leader of Liberal Republicans and Col. General Napoleon Zervas, right-wing resistance leader during the war—to a meeting tonight to examine the political situation.

STAMPEDE FEARED

A.P.A. adds: Gonatas' resignation seriously endangers Tsaldaris' chances of obtaining a vote of confidence in Monday's Parliament session, since Gonatas controls 33 seats and his defection may start a stampede among Tsaldaris' own Populists and other rightwing parties supporting him.

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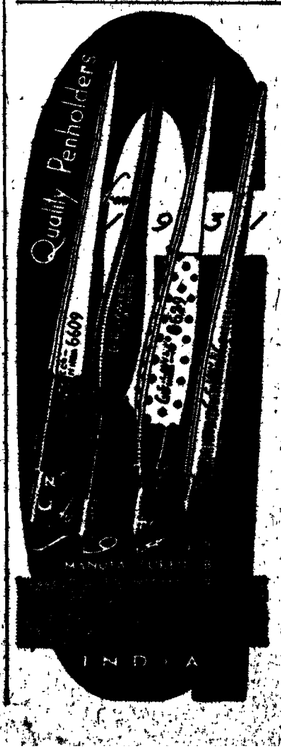


Pacific Whites' Co-Prosperity Plan?

Australia Opposes U. N. O. Trusteeship For Mandated Territories

Joint Four-Power Move For New Deal To Non-Self- Governing Peoples Of Far East

LONDON, Jan. 19. (Reuter): A new experiment in British Commonwealth regional co-operation is to be tried in the Pacific.

On January 28, six nations which control Pacific territories will begin a conference at Canberra with the object of setting up a South Sea Regional Commission for advancement and welfare of the peoples of Pacific areas. This meeting of the United Kingdom, the United States, France, the Netherlands, New Zealand and Australia is the direct outcome of the decision taken in London at the meetings of the Dominions Premiers in May last year.

Dr. H. V. Evatt, Australian Minister for External Affairs, recently summed up the position thus: "We must find a future Pacific policy on the doctrine of trusteeship for the benefit of all Pacific peoples".

AGAINST TRUSTEESHIP.

It is understood that at the conference, Australia and New Zealand will repeat the conditions under which they are prepared to pass their mandated territories of New Guinea and Western Samoa respectively to the United Nations trusteeship, namely that they will continue to have complete and exclusive power in controlling the administration of those areas and that they reserve the right to make provision for their defence. Australia, who makes this claim because New Guinea is vital to her defence, will make it clear to the conference that no trusteeship agreement will be considered which in any way restricts her right to provide for the defence of New Guinea.

"CO-PROSPERITY SPHERE"?

Apart from the political aspects of the development such as obligation to develop the dependent peoples in the Pacific, Australia feels that emphasis should also be placed on the economic factor. It is recognised that the Solomon Islands, New Hebrides, New Caledonia, Fiji, Tonga, Papua and New Guinea, including Dutch New Guinea, together with Australia and New Zealand, Eastern and Western Samoa and the Cook Islands form a great zone of mutual interest. Australia and New Zealand have, therefore, agreed to take the initiative in establishing a South Seas Regional Commission to recommend a common policy in the interests of the native people.

The two Dominions have already decided that there should be an organisation consisting of representatives of all Governments and administrations in the Region and that there should be a Permanent Secretariat as well as research and functional bodies.

NEW DEAL PLAN.

Australia and New Zealand hope that the meeting with representatives of the other four Pacific States will prove to be the foundation of a new era for non-self-governing peoples of the Pacific.

The Australian Prime Minister, Mr. J. B. Chifley, announced that the new Commission would advise member-Governments on native welfare generally and that the conference would consider the maintenance and improvement of standards of native welfare, participation of natives in the administration and co-operation between member-nations in regard to material development.

Dacoits Kill Police Constable

KARACHI, Jan. 19, (API): A police constable and a dacoit were killed in an armed encounter between them in a village near Shahdadpur, Nawabshah district, yesterday. It appears that the dacoits were hiding in the vicinity and later carried away the body of the dacoit into the forest nearby.

Arya Samajist Leaders To Be Deported?

Sind Govt. Plans To Meet Satyagraha Compaign

(From Our Correspondent)

KARACHI, Jan. 18.

Measures against "Satyarth Prakash" Satyagraha which Sind Government have decided to resort to, will, it is understood be launched after the arrival of the Sind Governor in a day or two from his tour.

Their measures it is reported, will include among others, deportation of distinguished Arya Samajist leaders who have arrived here from other provinces in connection with the Satyagraha and those of whom have already joined the first batch of Satyagrahis. The second batch of Satyagrahis will resort to Satyagraha in a day or two.

Bombay report says that a batch of Satyagrahis has started from Bombay 'en route' to Karachi for Satyagraha and is expected in Karachi soon.

DEDICATE YOUR LIVES TO COUNTRY'S CAUSE

Dr. Banerjee's Appeal To Patna Graduates

PATNA, Jan. 19 (U.P.I.): The Patna University Convocation, scheduled to be held in the last week of November, 1946, and postponed due to communal disturbances, was held yesterday. The Bihar Governor, the Chancellor, did not attend the convocation.

Eight hundred graduates including 36 women received their degrees. Seven persons received the degree of doctorate in various subjects.

Dr. P. N. Banerjee, Vice-Chancellor of the Calcutta University delivering the Convocation address made an impassioned appeal to the youth to dedicate their lives to the country's cause. He said "Our education of the future must fully take account of the new concept of citizenship which will be ours to-morrow. Will that citizenship or loyalty to the State be divided? Will the State itself be one compact organisation or will it be a collection of territories or of creeds or individuals?"

Concluding Dr. Banerjee said: "India stands to-day in the parting of ways. She will shake off her bondage in a few months' time."

DUTCH MOVE FOR AIR AGREEMENT WITH INDIA

KARACHI, Jan. 18 (A.P.I.): A Netherlands Government Air Mission to India headed by Dr. Che Van Ede Van Der Pals, Director General of Civil Aviation in the Netherlands Government, arrived in Karachi to-night from Holland in a Dutch plane.

The mission has come here to conclude an air agreement between the Dutch Government and Government of India for the operation of the K. L. M. Civil Dutch Plane Services through India, on the lines similar to the Indo-American Air Agreement recently concluded.

FUTURE OF S. WEST AFRICA

Malan's Motion Opposing U. N. O.'s Trusteeship

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 18, (Reuter): DR. DANIEL F. MALAN, NATIONALIST LEADER AND LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION, TODAY GAVE NOTICE IN THE HOUSE OF THE ASSEMBLY THAT HE WOULD INTRODUCE A MOTION ON JANUARY 21 "THAT THE UNION MUST NOT GIVE EFFECT TO THE REQUEST TO PLACE SOUTH WEST AFRICA UNDER THE TRUSTEESHIP OF U.N.O."

Dr. Malan said that he was introducing the motion "in view of the accusation against the Union in connection with its Indian legislation and the policy of racial and colour discrimination in general".

The motion would also maintain that the Union "must accord South-West Africa the same status as other provinces, including fair representation in the Senate and the House of Assembly".

"OPEN REVOLT" AGAINST GOVERNOR OF TIBET

NANKING, Jan. 18 (Reuter): Half a million people in Sikang Province (Eastern Tibet) have been in open revolt against the Governor Liu Wen-Hui since December 2, members of the Sinang Fellowship Association stated here to-day.

They charged that Liu was a tyrant and the biggest opium distributor in the province. "If the Central Government does not discharge Liu as Governor, the people will drive him out by armed force", one member said.

WANDREKAR'S APPEAL TO DAHANU LANDLORDS

(From Our Correspondent)

DAHANU, Jan. 18

At a joint meeting of the landlords and timber contractors at Dahanu on Thursday, Mr. D. N. Wandrekar, Parliamentary Secretary, narrated his experiences during the tour of Dahanu and Umbergaon talukas and appealed to them to help Government in establishing normal conditions of life in these talukas by sending labourers and cartmen to their farms. He said Government would be willing to afford all help to them against intimidation by violent strikers.

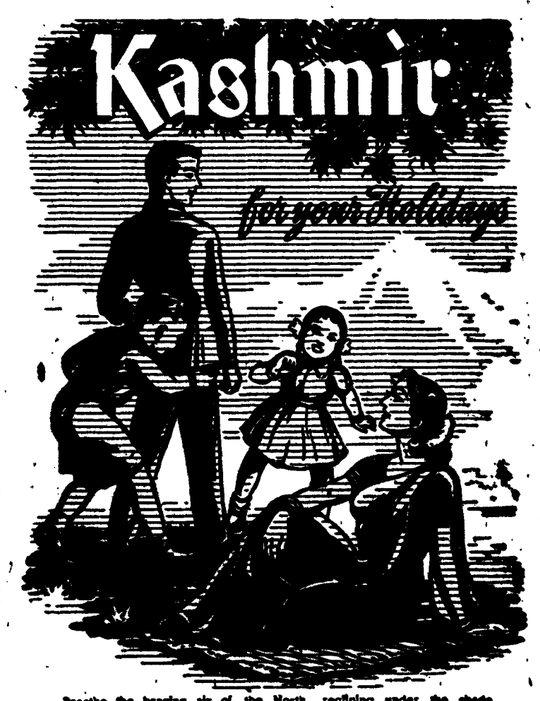
A similar meeting was addressed by Mr. Wandrekar at Umbergaon.

Mr. Wandrekar is to-night meeting Congress workers who will be associated with the work done so far. The Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee has appointed a committee to investigate into the grievances of Adivasis and submit their detailed report regarding the Adivasi problem as a whole. The Committee, consisting of two members of the Provincial Legislature—Messrs. Govindrao Deshpande and Bhausaheb Raut—and two well-known Congress workers—Messrs. Shamrao Patil and Shankarrao Moray, is expected to begin work next week.

STERLING BALANCE DELEGATION'S DEPARTURE POST-PONED

LONDON, Jan. 18 (U.P.A.): The "Financial Times" said to-day that the departure of the British delegation to India, headed by Sir Wilfred Eady, which was to have preliminary talks on India's sterling balances, has been postponed until January 27.

The delegation is due to arrive in New Delhi on January 28.



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"Tendentious Fabrication"

Moscow Denial Of U. S. Press Story About Soviet Troops In Poland

LONDON, Jan. 19 (A.P.A.): Moscow Radio last night broadcast the following denial issued by "Tass" and received in London by the "Soviet Monitor."

"The American Newspaper, 'New York Herald-Tribune', on January 17 of this year published a statement which said that lately ten Soviet divisions had already been brought into Poland. Tass is authorised to state that this statement is a tendentious fabrication from beginning to end. As has already been stated in the Soviet Press, the number of Soviet troops in Poland, in the past two months, has been cut by fifty per cent."

RANGOON WORKERS PLAN SIEGE OF SECRETARIAT

Students On Strike Get Military Training

RANGOON, January 18, (Reuter): The likelihood of a large-scale labour strike early next week was freely discussed in Rangoon today. It coincided with persistent rumours that fresh contingents of Gurkhas and African troops were expected here shortly to reinforce British forces in the country.

Widespread Communist activity was witnessed today in preparation for a workers' demonstration on Monday when they intend "besieging" the secretariat and other Government offices.

A senior official of the Labour Department of the Government of Burma told Reuter to-day that a "big labour strike—if not a general strike—is a good possibility. It is a natural sequel to the University students' strike which has been going on for the last few days."

STUDENTS BACK REDS

He said that the students' movement was bound to have the active support of the Communists as students had strong Communist sympathies.

Rangoon Press reported to-day that the strike-bound University students were undergoing "military training", many of them, the paper added, had left for the districts to carry on a countrywide student agitation.

The spokesman declared that he was unable to confirm local reports of the impending arrival of Gurkhas and African troops. He said, however, that orders had been issued to all military personnel stationed in Burma to co-operate with the civil administration in the task of safeguarding peace and order and combatant units —Punjabis, Gurkhas and Rajputs, besides Britons—are operating in various parts of the country specially Central Burma where the problem of lawlessness is most acute. The authorities have not yet sought military aid in the Rangoon area, he said, though there had been minor incidents involving the Police and the Communists.

AMNESTY TO POLITICALS

RANGOON, Jan. 18 (Reuter): The Governor of Burma Sir Hubert Rance in a proclamation to-day granted amnesty to persons convicted of offences committed in 1945 in the Tenaserim Division of Lower Burma. The amnesty applied to all those undergoing imprisonment whose release is not considered prejudicial to Law and Order.

The proclamation said that the amnesty was offered in view of the "abnormal conditions" which prevailed in Lower Burma while it was still under Japanese occupation though Allied forces had re-occupied Rangoon and a large part of the country.

INDIAN FINANCES FOR BURMA

LONDON, Jan. 18 (Reuter): Practical problems of Burma's independence, will, it is hoped, at last be tackled when the conference with the Burmese politicians is resumed in London on Monday, writes Mr. P. M. Green in the independent weekly newspaper "Observer."

He continues: "Last week's discussions centred mainly on the long memorandum presented by Burmans which amounted to little more than reiteration of the demand for independence. The drafting of a practical agenda with due recognition of the many questions—for Burma herself—involved in independence has thus had to be done here.

"The crux of the whole matter, it is pointed out, is finance—money for the restoration of Burma's war ruined towns and industries and particularly liquidation of peasants debt to Indian Chettyars (country bankers) which is now estimated at £45,000,000.

"Meanwhile, there appears ground for believing that General Aung San, one of the Burmese delegates, on his way to London was told by Pandit Nehru, Vice-President in the Indian Interim Government, not to worry about finance. India would give him all money he needed.

"Although there is no official confirmation of this in London, it is not doubted that big Indian industrialists would jump at the chance of getting Burma under their control."

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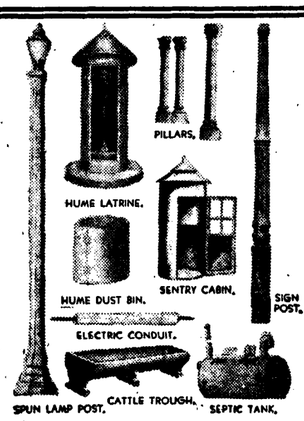

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Change In League Attitude To A. I. C. C. Resolution?

Jinnah Believes British Authorities Are Satisfied With Congress Decision

KARACHI, January 18. (U.P.I.): With the approach of the next session of the Working Committee of the Muslim League, the attention of political circles of all shades of opinion here has been drawn to the one and only issue, namely: what is going to be the final reaction of the Muslim League to the A. I. C. C. resolution on the statement of December 6 of His Majesty's Government. From sources believed to be in confidence of the League High Command, it is gathered that although the League High Command's first reaction to the A. I. C. C. resolution was unfavourable, that attitude is slowly undergoing transformation due to many factors. For one thing these sources contend that Mr. Jinnah has refrained from expressing any opinion on the A. I. C. C. resolution so far as he preferred to watch the reactions it produced on the authors of H. M. G.'s statement of December 6. These sources further opine there is reason to believe that Mr. Jinnah has since got indications suggesting that the British authorities at home are fairly satisfied with the form and contents of the A. I. C. C. resolution.

Enquiries in League circles here show that the League High Command's final decisions about accepting the Cabinet Mission's long-term plan and also joining the Constituent Assembly would be based on the consideration of the following issues, namely (1) whether the British Government have really accepted the A. I. C. C. resolution of January 6 as "satisfactory compliance" with the propositions which were incorporated in H. M. G.'s statement of December 6; (2) If so, the League is very likely to be asked by the Viceroy to rectify their present anomalous position with regard to the Interim Government inasmuch as while the Congress may claim to have fulfilled the fundamental condition laid down for functioning as members of the Interim Cabinet by accepting the long-term plan envisaged in the Cabinet Mission's statement of May 16 last, the Muslim League has so far continued in the Interim Government without accepting the long-term plan; whether the League's criticism of the A. I. C. C. resolution of January 6 last would be tenable in so far as it is directed against the Congress stand to preserve autonomy of every province and to prevent domination of one province by another, in consonance with the views expressed in the last paragraph of H. M. G.'s statement of December 6.

Serious Rival To Bombay Port

Two Crores Development Undertaken In Karachi

KARACHI, January 18. (A.P.I.): The port of Karachi will become one of the best major ports in the world when the post-war programme, estimated to cost nearly two crores has been completed.

The programme includes remodelling of the Keamari yard and providing modern cranes, ship repairing and building yards. Fishing harbour dry dock and an up-to-date marine airport.

Land reclamation has been going on steadily for some time as also dredging operations for the new channel to be used for fishing boats and country crafts thereby relieving the existing congestion in the upper harbour. Provision has been made for construction of a dry dock, large enough to take any ship likely to visit Karachi regularly.

It is explained that Karachi due to its geographical position being nearer to the west by sea is possessed of many advantages and shipping companies are considering to make it their first port of call in India. Karachi also enjoyed temperate climate and was free from regular monsoon and the work could be carried on throughout the whole year. Development plans have been submitted to higher authorities whose approval is expected shortly.

DECCAN SABHA GOLDEN JUBILEE

Masani's Tribute To Ranade's Services

POONA, January 18. (A.P.I.): There is great need for the spirit and ideas of Liberalism to be cultivated in the country, said Sir Rustom P. Masani, former vice-Chancellor of the Bombay University speaking at the Golden Jubilee celebrations of the Deccan Sabha of Poona, founded by the late Mr. Justice M. G. Ranade.

After tracing the history of the School of Moderates and Liberals and congratulating the Sabha on its impressive record of nation-building work during the formative period of public opinion in India "Sir Rustom said" the need for the continuance of the organization is all the greater today. Instead of the blundering and blustering alien bureaucracy of bygone days, we now have warring party leaders bluffing and blundering shattering the unity of the country and retarding its progress.

Sir Rustom unveiled the portraits of late Mr. Ranade and the late Sir Homasjee A. Wadia, a former President of the Sabha, on the occasion.

Mr. D. V. Ambedkar, Hon. Secretary of the Sabha after giving an account of the work of the Sabha appealed to the public for generous donations for the proposed literary, specialising in Politics and Economics to serve as a memorial to its founder.

Mr. Ambedkar also announced that donations to the extent of about Rs. 13,509 were received in connection with Golden Jubilee celebrations.

A.-I. HARIJAN SEVAK SANGH

Central Board General Meeting At Delhi On Jan. 22

NEW DELHI, Jan. 19 (A.P.I.): Mr A. V. Thakkar, General Secretary, All-India Harijan Sevak Sangh, announces that the annual meeting of the members of the All-India Harijan Sevak Sangh Central Board will be held in the Harijan Colony at Kingsway, Delhi, on January 22 and 23.

Br. Tea-Drinkers Will Have To Pay More

LONDON, Jan. 19 (Reuter): British tea-drinkers in the coming year will undoubtedly have to pay more for their tea either directly or by increased subsidy, states a Far Eastern correspondent of the "Observer". The subsidy in the last budget was £5,000,000.

COTTON OPENS STEADY

NEW YORK, Jan. 18, (Reuter): Cotton opened steady nineteen higher to one lower, far distant lagging during early further gains in near months which were due to trade and replacement buying but the market slightly wilted. The resumption of heavy liquidation and hedge offerings found buyers soon cautious. Lose selling orders were again uncovered as the market persistently declined with rallies feeble and short lived and always attracting further selling. Sentiment is still dominated by lack of confidence in the general economic structure which is meanwhile energising some bear activity. Prices touched the lowest of the session at the close which was easy 45 to 58 lower. Sales are estimated at 175,000 bales.

STOCK EXCHANGE

The effect of the reduction of margins soon subsided, and the market quietly receded from the best on week-end profit-taking. Numerous advances mostly up to one point remained however. Leading financial quarters are agreed that the margin action will broaden the basis of the market. The market closed very steady, late dealings producing no remarkable changes.

CHICAGO GRAINS SAG

NEW YORK, Jan. 18, (Reuter): Chicago grains sagged under the leadership of wheat on selling induced by Washington news that the C. C. C. is planning to curtail the present wheat purchase programme and to lower its prices to conform more closely to free market levels. The reaction encountered good commercial support presumably hedge lifting gainst liberal sales of wheat and maize to the C. C. C. with the corporation's Kansas city office reporting purchases of 7,064,000 bushels of wheat and 855,000 bushels of maize yesterday.

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New York, Jan. 18.

March	30.30
May	29.49
July	28.00
October	25.53
December	24.88
Middling Spot	30.50

RISE IN PRICE OF ARGENTINE GOLD PESO.

SANTIAGO, CHILE, Jan. 18, (U. P. A.): The price of 100 pesos gold (one peso is approximately worth three U. S. cents) climbed from 386 pesos paper currency to 390 within the past three weeks.

The rise probably reflects less faith in gold than any distrust in the paper peso because it parallels the slow but continual climb of the dollar in the free market.

The dollar (gold), which for years has been around 32 is now worth 41. The free market, however, represents less than three per cent of the exchange availabilities, according to official calculations. It represents small oneoks from travellers or salaries movement of capital, immigrant remittances, etc.

The official rate is still 31 pesos to a dollar, which rate was chosen for Bretonwoods purposes.

BOTTOM PRICE OF 71 CENTS FOR SILVER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17, (U. P. A.): With the price of silver down another 2-3/4 cents in a steadily descending market today, trade sources estimate that the price may drop to as low as 71 cents per ounce before the market finds its level. One informant said that such an estimate was only a guess, but 71 cents price seems to be the "psychological price" because that was the former ceiling and there was much talk among trade circles last year that the market would probably return to that price. They emphasised that in the meantime the decline was due mainly to a large volume of available silver plus the fact that the industrial demand which has supported the market almost alone has dwindled recently.

NEW YORK COTTON ACTIVE AND ERRATIC

Prices 20 Points Higher To 2 Points Lower

NEW YORK, Jan. 18 (U.P.A.): Active trading and erratic prices featured today's session of the New York Cotton Exchange. Prices weakened after a higher opening, only to close on a strong rally as covering movement in sympathy with securities disclosed a sold-out market. Operations were still mainly of a professional character with Wall Street, Western and New Orleans interests and room traders still feeling out the market's technical position. Until the late rally got under way, the sentiment was adversely affected by the prevalent talk of ultimately lower prices for food, industrial commodities and indifference of trade buyers to utilize the setbacks to cover commitments. Further drop in butter prices, silver, grains and other commodities strengthened the conviction in some quarters that prices generally are headed to a lower level. Talk of the holding movement among southern producers, comparatively light hedge offerings and discussions on the tight statistical outlook continued to be backgrounded by outside business and Washington farm legislation uncertainties.

Today's session opened five to 14 higher. Following the pattern of the recent session, prices immediately went into a tailspin dropping to loses of 18 to 44 points before the selling movement culminated. The final rally lifted the market 50 to 64 from the lows to close a net 20 higher to two lower.

EXPORT SITUATION

On the export situation, shippers reported that current inquiries were lightening, but hopes for improvement on that score were aided by the extension by the Export and Import Bank of a credit of 100,000,000 dollars to Italy and the suggestion that some part of the credit will be used to purchase American cotton.

Mr. William M. Garrard, General Manager of the Staple Cotton Co-operative Association, Greenwood, Mississippi, predicted that the decline in cotton prices as a result of pessimism expressed by trade economists and "smart tape readers" would not necessarily be permanent or substantial. He said that the buying power of the public will be greater this year than in the last year. He said: "From a supply standpoint, the market should advance materially from the present levels but there are price controlling factors other than supply." They said that these factors have at times played a greater part in making prices than supply alone. They pointed to buyer resistance to higher priced cotton goods and talk of possible elimination of export subsidy. Garrard concluded: "With Congress in session and no one knowing when some bill detrimental to cotton may be dropped into the hopper, we call the market fluid and would not care to make any prediction as to the future course of prices."

DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION

The Census Bureau reported that the domestic consumption of cotton was estimated at 77,409 bales against 87,700 bales in November. The total came to almost 47 bales below expectations and accounted for some early selling. Later analysis figures were given a more favourable interpretation as traders realized that the intermonth drop was due to the long year-end holiday mill shutdowns. Moreover, consumption for the first five months of the season amounted to 4,257,000 bales against 3,594,000 bales in the corresponding period last year.

A leading spot firm reported that there was some covering of spot cotton requirements by mills as far ahead as late summer in order to be sure of obtaining the needed qualities to make goods. Country sales were reported to be very small and the spot basis continued to advance. It was said that producers were holding 25 to 30 per cent of the crop for prices two to three cents above the current quotations.

Traders still expressed the opinion that the market is likely to continue irregular over the nearby term until outside uncertainties are clarified.

Predicts Lower Silver Prices On New York Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 18 (U.P.A.): Mr. Sylvia F. Porter, New York Post Financial Writer, today said that according to experts the silver price is due to drop further before it finds its natural level.

The writer blames Western Senators for the slump in the New York silver price. She said: "The boom in silver is over. It was destroyed by the greed and selfishness of a dozen Western Senators in a handful of thinly settled states. From all over the world, tons of the white metal are now being dumped on the New York market. For the first time since pre-war days, the price paid here for foreign silver is sinking daily.....and in this reversal lies an ominous lesson for all who try to snatch the last penny out of the deal."

When silver Senators succeeded in having the Treasury price raised to 90-1/2 cents, the price proved too high for many users and countries. "India began it with an announcement that it would replace silver coins with pieces made of nickel. And India began to dump silver here to take advantage of the high price and get some dollars to spend on the purchase of badly needed American goods."

The writer said that tons of the metal have been arriving from Britain, Spain, China, Russia, the Near East and Mexico. The price invited speculation by astute foreign operators and stimulated the liquidation of monetary silver and encouraged nations to abolish silver coins and sell silver for dollars.

DUMRA SAILING POSTPONED TO JAN. 26TH.

LONDON, Jan. 18, (U. P. A.): Messrs. Gray Dawes and Company today said that the sailing of the steamer "Dumra" has been postponed until January 26th and that the "Nirvana" would "probably" sail on 1 again. The steamer "Thakra", which was unloading cargo at Antwerp yesterday, was "advanced" to have completed the unloading the same day. The agents added that the "Thakra" should sail towards the end of January and would call at Genoa en route for Bombay.

DISPOSALS

The Director General of Disposals, C.P.M Directorate, New Delhi, invites sealed tenders for the purchase and removal of the following stores:—

STORES QUANTITY
CRIBS BRIDGING & CLIPS 144 Tons
LOCATION: Jhingerapul Depot Calcutta.
SUPERSCRIBED REFERENCE: Tender No. DGD/SR-42062/CPM-3.
LAST DATE DUE: By 4 p.m. on 5th February, 1947.

OFFERS should be sent to the Director General of Disposals, C.P.M Directorate, New Delhi and should remain open for acceptance till 5th March, 1947.

TENDER FORMS along with permits to view the stores are obtainable from Directorate, General of Disposal, C.P.M. Directorate, Shahjahan Road, New Delhi at Rs. 5/- per set.

Delivery will be ex-site and removal should be completed within 30 days after receipt of acceptance of offer.

Sales are subject to conditions laid down in Form Con. 117.

All further particulars may be secured from this office:—

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Mercantile Chambers, Graham Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay
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SITUATIONS VACANT

Matheran (Hill) Light Railway—Wanted an experienced P.W. Inspector, a Storekeeper and an Assistant Accounts Clerk for Matheran Light Railway. Pay Rs. 75/-, 50/- and 40/- respectively, with dearness allowance and free quarters. Retired persons preferred. Apply Manager, Neral. 1535

Required by Leading Mercantile Company educated young energetic men for training as touring Salesman. Ability speak, write Gujerati or Marathi essential. Good prospects, annual increments, expenses, provident fund. Apply own handwriting age and qualifications, to Box No. 1537, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted: A Graduate as Principal for a High School across the Bombay Harbour. Please see Estate Manager, Novha House, Queen's Road, opposite Marine Lines Station, Bombay. 4634

Wanted Law Graduate, Art graduate and clerks For 'Terms' apply Box No. 4621 "Bombay Chronicle".

Wanted immediately for an Automobile concern experienced men to work in Parts Department as Bin Clerks, Checkers and Sorters. Please apply sharp to Box No. 1539 "Bombay Chronicle".

Wanted:—Publicity Officer in the grade of Rs. 250—500, Apply in confidence with qualifications and experience in Publicity and Journalism to Free India General Insurance Co., Ltd., Post Box: 42, Cawnpore. 1540

Commercial Artists—Leading Advertising Agency has vacancies for competent figure artists. Knowledge of visualisation and lay-out will be an advantage. Write stating experience and salary expected to Box No. 4543 "Bombay Chronicle".

Enterprising Girls with a nerve to appear before public should apply for a highly paid post. Apply Box No. 1394, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted energetic young man knowing typewriting and independent correspondence first preference will be given who knows engineering line. Apply stating minimum pay expected to Box No. 4573, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted Senior Accountants for a reputed firm. Applicants must have extensive audit and accounts experience in big firms and should be Registered Accountants or G. D. A.'s with brilliant degree in Math. or Commerce. Attractive salary for men with outstanding previous record and qualifications. Apply, to Box No. 1500 B, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted A Nursing Superintendent for the Windham Hospital Jodhpur in the grade of Rs. 350-10-400 plus Rs. 135/- p.m. allowance for diet, servants etc. plus Rs. 15/- temporary war allowance plus dearness allowance at current rates. Only nurses holding general and midwifery nursing certificates and with wide administrative experience will be considered. Applications with copies of certificates and testimonials should reach the P.M.O., Jodhpur, by 31-1-47. The successful applicant will have to join early in March 1947. 1502

Wanted influential, experienced and reliable persons for canvassing. Apply to Indian National Directories Post Box 115, Bangalore City. (4560)

Wanted: An Engineer with 10 years and fitters with over 5 years practical experience in handling Sheet Metal Plants, making 4 gallon rectangular tins, sanitary cans etc. The Engineer should be able to make tools and dies and, keep machines in order, Wanted: A Works' Manager able to erect, run and work, a Mechanical Work Shop for making parts and accessories required for ice, tin, fruit, chocolate and Toy Factories. Apply with credentials, references and stating minimum salary acceptable to the G. G. Industries, Agra. (1510)

Wanted: District and Provincial Managers for Organisation of Our Agricultural Unit and Housing Scheme in the Districts and Provinces. Salary Rs. 250-20-500/- persons of influence willing to invest Rs. 5,000 in business need apply: Building and Land Trust (India) Ltd. 3, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta. (1497)

MOTOR TRUCKS FOR SALE

New Bradford delivery vans just arrived. Factory built steel body 10 cwt. capacity. Very economical running. Book early to avoid disappointment. Federal Motors, Hughes Road, Bombay. 1542

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

American Biscuit, Cigarettes, Chocoletes, Candies, Foodstuffs and Toilet goods for sale. Arun & Co., 23|24, Radhabazar Street. Calcutta. 4625

PUBLIC NOTICES

BENGAL-NAGPUR RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

Change in rates for Manures, Oilcake, and Bonemeal (for Manurial purposes) under the Post-War Rating Scheme.

With effect from 1st February, 1947, Special Class 'A' rates will be introduced for Manures, Oilcake, and Bonemeal (for manurial purposes) as also for certain other commodities used for manurial purposes in full wagon loads. The existing rates for all these commodities will be cancelled and withdrawn from the same date.

For full particulars reference may be made to the Superintendent, Rates and Development, B. N. Railway, Kidderpore. Calcutta, or to any Station Master on this Railway.

COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC MANAGER.

(1522)

FIRST CLASS GRADUATES

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED by graduates with the following essential qualifications:

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3. Interested in industrial development.

Applicants should submit photographs and full details under the following headings:

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2. Height and weight.
3. Schools attended, with dates.
4. Universities attended, with dates.
5. Degree, or degrees, taken.
6. All posts held, with dates and salaries.
7. Main professional interests.
8. Date when free to join.
9. Married or single, number and age of children.

Starting salary between Rs. 500/- and Rs. 600/- depending on age, in preliminary grade to Rs. 1,000/-. Reply Box No. 1428, "Bombay Chronicle."

BUSINESS OFFERS

A consignment of world famous eversharp 'Life Time' Fountain-pens has arrived from America and will be sold at controlled prices to genuine consumers only at U. N. Pursram, 336 Hornby Road, Fort, Next to Thomas Cook, Phone 23909. 9594

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MACHINERIES WANTED.

Wanted Boilers Vertical, pressure 100 lb. also Lancashire or water tube boilers heating surface upto 1,000 square ft; pressure not less than 150 lbs. per sq. inch; and one A.C. Generator 5 to 10 K. W. Deisel, Oil, or Steam Driven new or 2nd hand apply with particulars and lowest acceptable prices to G. G. Industries, Agra. 1464

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Wanted Agents to Secure woollen and Silk Cloth Orders, terms liberal free. Apply Western Textiles, Ludhiana." (4540)

Imported Plastic goods. Wanted Agents, wholesale and retail, all over India. Apply for details to Box No. 4598, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted agents or whole-sale dealers for our Pearl and Horn Buttons. Diamond Button Mfg. Co., 40/41, Tantibazar, Dacca (Bengal). (4632)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTED

Process Camera Printing Press Tablet Machine Urdu, Hindi, English typewriter, Miniature Cine camera, stringed musical instrument. Clarionet watch, "Krishnakunj", Allahabad. (4462)

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PROPERTIES WANTED

Wanted an Open Plot with or without building at Napean Sea Road, Warden Road, Cumballa Hill or Malabar Hill. Please write to Box No. 1536A, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted about two thousand square yards of Land between Mazagaon and Dadar. Please write to Box No. 1536, "Bombay Chronicle."

PUBLIC NOTICES.

ANNOUNCEMENT

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

THE NATIONAL INFORMATION & PUBLICATIONS Limited have pleasure in announcing that they have MOVED into their SPACIOUS NEW OFFICES from 20th January, 1947.

The address of the Company will in future be:—

THE NATIONAL HOUSE,
Near Regal Cinema, Tulloch Road,
Off Lansdowne Road, COLABA, BOMBAY. 1.

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EAST INDIAN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE

SPECIAL ITEM costing over Rs. 10,000 Class I contract.

SEALED TENDERS ARE INVITED for the following and will be received in the General Manager's Office, East Indian Railway, 105, Clive Street, Calcutta, on 24th February, 1947 at 12 O'clock noon.

Tender No. SP/F/EB2/WB-256/46-47 for the supply of 4800 Nos. Pins half round complete to Dy. Chief Mechanical Engineer, Lillooah's Drawing No. WB-236.

Tender forms and drawings can be obtained from the under-noted officials on payment of the following charges to the Treasurer, East Indian Railway, 105, Clive Street, Calcutta, and on production of his receipt when applying for the same.

(a) Tender Form at Rs. 2/- per copy from the Controller of Stores, East Indian Railway, 105, Clive Street, Calcutta.

(b) Deputy Chief Mechanical Engineer, Lillooah's Drawing No. WB-256, 258, 400, 106, 311 and WB-326A at annas -/8/- per copy from the Deputy Chief Mechanical Engineer, East Indian Railway, Lillooah.

Firm's outside Calcutta may however remit the cost of the tender forms to the Controller of Stores, East Indian Railway, 105, Clive Street, Calcutta, and that of the drawings to Dy. Chief Mechanical Engineer, East Indian Railway, Lillooah, direct by money order. No refund is permissible after payment.

Sealed tenders delivered by hand should be presented for registration in the General Manager's Office. East Indian Railway, 105, Clive Street, Calcutta. and then put into the Tender Box outside the Deputy General Manager's (Works) room by the Tenderer or his representative.

GENERAL MANAGER.

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PROCLAMATION

BOMBAY TO WIT:—By virtue of a Precept to me directed, I hereby proclaim and give notice that the First Sessions of 1947 of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery will be holden before the High Court of Judicature at Bombay at the Court House on Monday, the 20th January, 1947, at 10-45 O'clock in forenoon for the trial of all trespasses and other Crimes, Misdemeanors and Offences committed within its Jurisdiction. (For further particulars see Bombay Government Gazette Part II dated 16th January, 1947, page 63).

Dated this 18th January, 1947.

MITHAN J. LAM,
Sheriff of Bombay.

N.B.

(1) It is hereby notified that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of 1946 which commenced on 20th November, 1947 has this day been DISSOLVED.

(2) Special Jurors summoned for the ensuing Criminal Sessions which will commence on Monday, the 20th January, 1947, as proclaimed above, are required to attend the High Court on that day at 10-45 A.M. (S.T.), on the 2nd floor, Room No. 46. Common Jurors summoned for the said Sessions need not attend on that day but must watch the papers to see when their attendance is next required.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1947.

M. J. L.

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G. I. P. RLY.—TENDERS

THE DISTRICT CONTROLLER, Grainshops, G. I. P. Railway, Bombay V. T. will receive tenders on the prescribed form upto 3 P. M. on 28-1-1947 for the supply of Firewood and Charcoal to the Railway Fuel Shops in the Nasik and East Khandesh Districts. Tender documents may be obtained free of charge from the above office or from the Assistant Controller, Grainshops, G. I. P. Railway, Bhusaval, Nagpur and Jubbulpore. Import permits if required will be furnished by the Railway. 1526

SALES TAX

NOTICE TO DEALERS

DEALERS registered under the Bombay Sales Tax Act are required to submit a return of their turnover for the period from the 1st October to 31st December, 1946 in Form VI to the Sales Tax Officers by THE 31ST JANUARY, 1947.

The Sales Tax due according to the return must be paid into the Reserve Bank of India or local treasury or sub-treasury with chalans in Form X in quadruplicate, before the return is submitted and a receipted copy of the chalan must be attached to the return.

Copies of the forms of return and chalans can be had from the Sales Tax Offices and local treasuries and sub-treasuries. 1545

THE PREMIER CONSTRUCTION CO., LTD.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will remain CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 7th February, 1947 to SATURDAY, the 15th February, 1947, (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board
The Premier Construction Co., Ltd.
B. D. SARDESAI
Secretary.

Construction House,
Wittet Road,
Ballard Estate, Fort,
Bombay, 17th January, 1947.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT, 1913
IN THE MATTER OF DESAI ARWADE LTD.
(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Notice is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at the Registered Office of the Company at Mubarak Manzil (2nd floor) 104, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, on the 18th day of January, 1947, the following Special Resolutions were passed:—

(1) That the Company be and is hereby wound up Voluntarily (Members' Winding Up).

(2) That Mr. M. K. Vatsraj, Registered Accountant of Messrs. Vatsraj & Co. be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such Winding Up.

VIDYUTRAI Y. DESAI,
Chairman.

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NOTICE.

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the Purchases of waste (HARD and SOFT) from the India United Mills Ltd., No. 1 Mill and will be accepted upto 4 p. m. (S.T.) on Thursday the 23rd January 1947 in their Registered Office. Tender copies can be obtained from Cotton Department, E. D. Sassoon Bldg., Dougall Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay. (1529)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION BOMBAY-SIND.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED before 28-2-1947 for the contract post of DIESEL & STEAM ENGINEER for the Bombay Electric Grid System. Pay.—Rs. 1,500-2,150 plus overseas pay of £13-6-8 per mensem for a candidate of Non-Asiatic domicile. HIGHER STARTING PAY ADMISSIBLE. No age limit prescribed. QUALIFICATIONS.—Degree in Electrical Engineering or Diploma in Electrical Engineering of Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, or a similar institution. In addition, a candidate should ordinarily have 20 years' practical experience, including 7 years in responsible position, in design, erection and operation of steam turbo power plants and systems. Application form supplied on receipt of large addressed envelope with 3 1/2 annas stamps and UNCROSSED Postal Order for Re. 1/- payable to "Secretary, Bombay-Sind Public Service Commission", Bombay, who will supply full details on request.

(1530)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that GUBAMALI MAHOMEDALI and SALEBHAI MULLA JIWANJEE, both of Bombay Bohra Muslim inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim whatsoever to or against the said property is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at 36, Tamarind Lane, Fort, Bombay, within FOURTEEN DAYS from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any, shall be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE

ALL THOSE pieces or parcels of vacant land at Chembur in the Registration Sub-District Bandra, District Bombay Suburban, bearing the following particulars:—

Serial No.	Survey No.	Survey No.	Hissa No.	Revision Survey Area Acre	Gunthas
81	49	49	Nil	3	16
82	50	50	"	3	18½
83	51	51	"	4	33½
84	51	54A	2	0	11
88	54A	54B	1	0	8½
90	54B	55B	Nil	0	8½
85	55B	56	1	0	11½
97	56	56	6	2	38½
102	56				

Total Assessment Rs. 46-1-3.

Dated 16th January, 1947.
GHULAMALI NOORANI,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

ANNOUNCEMENT

DR. LO ZAMBELETTI, ITALY

We are pleased to announce that we have now received from Dr. L. Zambeletti, Italy, their CUPRO ARGENTIC OINTMENT. DOCTORS, CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS are requested to refer to us and send us their enquiries and orders.

P. M. RAVAL,
25, Bank Street, Fort,
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Sole Agents for India.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Abdullabhai Esoofally, Haidarali Esoofali, Amiruddin Esoofali, Abdul Kadar Esoofali, Jainabai widow of Esoofali Abdulkadar, Amtabai Esoofali Banubai Esoofali, Motibai Esoofali and Khadijabai Esoofali all of Bombay Borah Muslim Inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Hamam House, Hamam Street Fort, Bombay within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same if any will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax tenure land or ground with the dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Sadashiv Street in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay admeasuring 1296 Square Yards or there-abouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New No. 2957, New Survey No. 7797 Cadestral Survey No. 542 of Girgaon Division and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal rates and Taxes under D. Ward No. 941 and 944 and Street No. 46.

Dated this 17th day of Jan. 1947.
AMIN DESAI & NANAVATI.
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. Navinchandra Hiralal carrying on business in piece goods in the name of Newton Textiles at 19, Bank Street, Fort has contracted to sell to our clients the said business free from any liability whatsoever. All claims against the said business should be settled with Mr. Navinchandra Hiralal direct, and notice of the claim should be given to the undersigned at their Office at 51 Esplanade Road, Fort Bombay within ten days from the date of this notice after which the sale will be completed without any reference to the claims.

Dated this 18th day of Jan. 1947.
MULLA & MULLA.
Attorneys at Law.
(1527)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.
TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION

George VI, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of RANGILDAS JAMNADAS LALA, late of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, a Bill Clerk, in the employ of M|s. Wadia Ghandi & Co., Solicitors residing at Bansi Cottage, Military Road, Santa Cruz in the Greater Bombay and standing in his name but belonging to the Joint and undivided Hindu Family to which the deceased belonged .....Deceased.

Bai SUMATI, widow of Rangildas Jamnadas Lala, residing at Bansi Cottage Military Road, Santa Cruz, in the Greater Bombay.....

....Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir LEONARD STONE, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid this 14th day of January in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven and in the eleventh year of our Reign.

(Sd.) S. J. RAHIMTOOLA.
Prothonotary & Senior Master.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) A. R. Narayan Ayyar.
Sealer.

The 14th day of January, 1947.
Messrs. MALVI RANCHODDAS & CO.,
Petitioner's attorneys.
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